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PENNSYLVANIA—Presidential.

FRÉMONT MAJORITIES.

Counties.	Majority.	Gain since October.	Loss since October.
Allegheny	2000	619	—
Armstrong	600	32	—
Beaver	550	221	—
Blair	180	—	506
Butler	750	412	—
Bradford	400	25	—
Crawford	1900	324	—
Dauphin	800	176	—
Lancaster	1670	—	248
Luzerne	600	42	—
Lawrence	1700	120	—
Mercer	150	—	104
Union	511	71	—
Frémont majorities	12,488	2,022	1,414

BUCHANAN MAJORITIES.

Counties.	Majority.	Gain since October.	Loss since October.
Adams	307	203	—
Bedford	874	251	—
Berks	6300	661	—
Bucks	700	42	—
Cambria	1300	623	—
Carbon	300	147	—
Chester	500	346	44
Franklin	750	50	—
Columbia	1000	—	190
Cumberland	600	107	—
Delaware	350	619	—
Franklin	200	416	—
Greene	1200	111	—
Huntington	2001	—	98
Juniata	150	97	—
Lehigh	1120	320	—
Luzerne	1700	600	—
Lycoming	900	98	—
Mifflin	301	310	—
Monroe	1000	381	—
Montgomery	2814	1370	—
Northampton	1700	1280	—
Northumberland	1425	302	—
Perry	700	317	—
Philadelphia	15000	15128	—
Pike	172	90	—
Schuylkill	2500	702	—
Westmoreland	800	165	—
York	2300	718	—
Buchanan majorities	37,340	26,402	286
Frémont majorities	12,488		
Buchanan ahead	24,852		

MASSACHUSETTS—Presidential.

Full returns have been received from the whole of this State, excepting six towns. FRÉMONT's plurality is 65,113. Gov. GARDNER's vote falls very far behind that of Col. FRÉMONT. The Legislature is largely Republican—the Senate wholly so, and the House 302 to 21. The Republican majority on joint ballot is 321, and Hon. CHARLES SUMNER will be re-elected U. S. Senator.

The following is the vote in the State, as compared with that of the Presidential election of 1852:

Counties.	1856. Frémont.	1856. Buchanan.	1856. Fillmore.	1852. Scott.	1852. Pierce.
Barnstable	2030	1953	77	1576	1099
Berkshire	4800	1823	977	3019	2073
Bristol	8553	2992	906	8271	2387
Dukes	317	161	122	250	325
Essex	15877	4561	2523	6083	4576
Franklin	4580	1822	941	3033	1738
Hampden	5563	2160	634	3445	3459
Hampshire	5050	855	285	3900	1425
Middlesex	17450	7671	4013	8700	8925
Nantucket	589	124	73	339	189
Norfolk	8403	2634	2038	3269	3476
Plym'th, all but 8	6184	1587	1161	2993	2060
Suffolk	8575	5359	4642	4566	5418
Worcester	16116	3923	966	7433	5906
Totals	103,172	37,660	19,169	59,683	44,609

Scattering, Free Soil vote not reported in 1852.

1852.. Scott over Pierce	5,074
1852.. Scott over Hale	34,074
1856.. Frémont over Buchanan	65,113
1856.. Frémont over Fillmore	74,003

CONNECTICUT—Presidential.

Counties.	1856. Frémont.	1856. Buch.	1856. Fill.	Maj. 1852. Scott.	Maj. 1852. Pierce.
Fairfield, (all but 1 town)	5634	4217	325	4014	3153
Hartford	6490	7024	209	6320	6439
Litchfield, (all but 1 town)	4816	3440	249	3820	4028
Middlesex	2387	2308	123	2046	2724
New-Haven	6290	6912	382	4145	6497
New-London	3549	3975	324	2561	4070
Tolland	2408	1962	23	1723	2415
Windham, (all but 1 t'wn)	3567	2249	56	2065	2449
Total	—	—	—	30,680	32,240
Hale (Free-Soil) received					4100

MARYLAND—Presidential.

	Fillmore maj.		Buchanan maj.
Allegheny	60	Charles	297
Anne Arundel	111	Talbot	149
Baltimore City	1029	Total	450
Baltimore County	386		
Carroll	209		
Cecil	49		
Dorchester	250		
Frederick	420		
Harford	453		
Howard	226		
Kent	297		
Montgomery	140		
Queen Anne	163		
Washington	60		
Total	10,061		

Six counties to hear from.

LATEST.

BALTIMORE, Thursday, Nov. 6.

The whole of Maryland has been heard from, with the exception of the Counties of Somerset and Worcester. FILLMORE's majority is 8,100. The two counties to be heard from gave 100 American majority last year.

VIRGINIA—Presidential.

	Buchanan maj.		Fillmore maj.
Barbley	150	Alexandria City and County	244
Carolina large Democratic gains			
Fauquier	100		
Page	1,000		
Prince William	500		
Rockingham	2,200		
Shenandoah	2,000		
Spottsylvania	170		
Taylor	150		
Warren	494		
Totals	7,844		244

Virginia has gone for Buchanan by 18,000 to 20,000 majority.

NORTH CAROLINA—Presidential.

The returns from North Carolina show that the Democrats have swept the State by largely increased majorities.

New-Hanover County—Democratic majority about 900.

The returns from other counties indicate a decreased vote, but the State is certain for Buchanan by a majority equal to Bragg's.

Raleigh gives Fillmore 84 majority.

Goldsboro County—300 majority for Buchanan.

Wake, Granville, Halifax, Franklin and Northampton all give increased Democratic majorities.

SOUTH CAROLINA—Presidential.

MEETING OF THE ELECTORAL SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE—ELECTORS CHOSEN.

COLUMBIA, Nov. 3, 1856.—Both branches of the Legislature convened this day at 12 M., in obedience to the proclamation of the Governor. In the Senate Hon. R. F. ALLETSON, of All Saints, was reelected President; W. E. MARKLY, Clerk, and A. B. GOODWYN was elected Reading Clerk.

On motion of Hon. M. E. CARNE, a committee of Senators—CARNE, ALLEN and BLAKENEY—was appointed to inform the Governor, in the usual mode, that the Senate awaited any communications from the Executive.

Governor ADAMS replied in a brief message, explaining his proclamation, and on motion of Senator MOSES, a Senatorial Committee of eight was appointed to nominate, in concert with a similar committee of the House, a suitable list of Presidential electors for the State. The Senate at 3 P. M. took a recess until 6 P. M., in favor of the committee.

In the Representatives' Hall, Mr. MEMINGER was called to the Chair for organization and the qualification of members. Hon. JAMES SIMONS, Speaker of the last House, was reelected Speaker, and returned his thanks in a very eloquent address. John T. SHOAR, Esq., was reelected Clerk; F. W. DITMUS, Sergeant, and the election of Reading Clerk was deferred.

The House appointed Messrs. WALLACE, BRYAN and M. SMITH a Committee to wait on the Governor, and inform him of a quorum, communicate his private Secretary, H. WARREN ADAMS, Esq., the Senate concurring, in a message by Senator ALLEN, for a joint ballot at 12 M. on Tuesday, for electors of President.

Mr. P. H. BRYAN introduced resolutions disapproving the Electoral system, as adopted by the Convention system, as adopted [illegible]

[illegible] Democratic majority [illegible]

[illegible] Democrats in gains.

MISSISSIPPI—Presidential.

NEW-ORLEANS, Thursday, Nov. 6.

The Democratic majority in Mississippi will probably reach 10,000.

MISSOURI—Presidential.

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, Nov. 5.

In St. Louis County, FILLMORE has 1,500 majority—a loss of about 1,500. In the absence of a Republican ticket, many Germans voted the American ticket.

Jefferson City gives 76 Buchanan majority. Franklin County, (6 towns,) Buchanan, 678; Fillmore, 299; Frémont, 52. Warren County, (3 towns,) Fillmore, 85 majority. Montgomery County, Fillmore, 60 majority—a gain as compared with the vote for Governor.

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Fillmore's majority here is 6,488.

TENNESSEE—Presidential.

	Buchanan maj.		Fillmore maj.
Shelby, gain	199	Davidson	1300

Memphis shows a Buchanan gain of 60.

BUCHANAN will probably carry the State by 8,000 majority.

LATEST.

CINCINNATI, Thursday, Nov. 6.

BUCHANAN's majority in Tennessee will not fall short of 5,000.

KENTUCKY—Presidential.

	Buchanan Maj.		Fillmore Maj.
Bath	245	Barren	400
Fulton	160	Bourbon	350
Harrison	125	Bracken	124
Jessamine	500	Fayette	450
Knox	200	Fleming	130
Nelson	254	Henderson	400
Oldham	120	Hickman	200
Scott	370	Jefferson	3010
		Mason	812
		Montgomery	61
		Shelby	640
		Woodford	201
Total	2114	Total	6578

So far as reported, FILLMORE's majority—3,462.

Eighty Counties to hear from. The State is claimed for BUCHANAN by 5,000.

MICHIGAN—Presidential.

	Frémont Maj.		Buchanan Maj.
Allegan	400	Wayne	160
Berry	400		
Berrien	600		
Calhoun	1200		
Jackson	700		
Kalamazoo	1200		
Kent	1300		
Lapeer	600		
Oakland	400		
Van Buren	400		
Hillsdale	270		
Washtenaw	1000		
Total	5834		160

Frémont's majority, so far, 5,674.

Detroit gives 160 Democratic majority—usually 600. Coldwater, 221 Republican majority.

OHIO—Presidential.

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Cuyahoga	1115	Allen	40
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Montgomery	52		
Total	13,542	Total	3,554

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Nov. 6.—The Legislature was again to-day private and unimportant.

The following Presidential Electors were nominated:

John A. Inglis,	John L. Norvell,
W. A. Owens,	S. L. Wield,
L. I. Pickens,	James Chesnut,
At Large.	
F. W. Pickens,	John L. Manning.

It was then resolved unanimously as the sense of the General Assembly, that the electors should vote for JAMES BUCHANAN and JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA METHOD OF CHOOSING ELECTORS.

From the Charleston Standard, Nov. 4.

The General Assembly of this State will meet at Columbia to-day, to cast the vote of South Carolina for the President and Vice-President of the United States, and will present a scene very different from that which will be enacted in other sections of the Union. While, elsewhere, we have reason to believe that there will be a great excitement in the political machinery will be brought to bear; that the worst passions will be appealed to by the worst of men; that those who seem to be the representatives of enlightened age will exhibit their fitness for that office by leading mobs; and that all the people of every other State, at no matter what inconvenience and expense, must quit their homes and force their way to the polls—here hundred and twenty gentlemen will quietly assemble at the State House, and, with an order and decorum that will be rarely witnessed in any other deliberative assembly, will cast the vote of the State and forthwith return to their homes again, with no more of popular disturbance than might attend a meeting of the Corporation of a Railroad.

This may not be Democracy; we rather think it is not of that sort of Democracy so transcendent in the North, but we believe it is Democracy. It is manifestly not the popular will, as proved, perhaps, by a majority to be declared. It is the judgment of a number of gentlemen through the forms of [illegible] perhaps, as though it was uttered through the [illegible] as such a feature of [illegible] Liberty, we would, therefore, preserve it. Liberty and Democracy have [illegible] the people have whatever no right from the hand of deception, which has not given them a wider range of liberty, and they have been the better off for it. We are not certain that Liberty and Democracy are always and eternally coincident. Democracy in the opposition is one thing, Democracy in power is another. While working up to power, Democracy and popular Liberty may go hand in hand; perhaps it is necessary they should go so; but, granting Government to be admitted that Liberty may not be found to find another champion to protect her against Democracy itself. We feel so at least, and we are more solicitous to have represented in Government the true and best interests of the country, than the accidental combinations of popular volition.

For the present, therefore, while it is still unsettled whether democracy, as a dictator, can be trusted, while, in fact, both in France and at the North there are indications that she is unwise, irregulated and dangerous; when her violations are prompted by the most unworthy motives and when she will brook no check upon them, but will override and trample down the most cherished conservatisms of society that may happen to stand in her way; we are ready to hold on to our present moorings until we see further, and submit rather to the disparaging comparison with other States, presented by South Carolina to-day, than to change at once to another and more questionable system.

GEORGIA—Presidential.

Ten counties give BUCHANAN 2,050 majority—showing a Democratic gain of 1,500. Partial returns indicate that BUCHANAN will carry the State by about 15,000 majority.

Richmond County—Fillmore, 257 majority; Democratic gain 100.

The returns from other counties show considerable Democratic gains.

A heavy rain storm prevailed generally throughout the State, and in consequence a decreased vote was polled. The returns from scattering precincts indicate about the same Democratic majority as last year.

ALABAMA—Presidential.

Returns show small Democratic gains. Tuscaloosa of Mobile gives 150 majority for FILLMORE.

Montgomery County—Fillmore majority, 130.

Cahawba County—Buchanan majority, 48.

The returns of both these Counties show Democratic gains.

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October	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nov. 4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gain	[illegible]	[illegible]	—
Loss	—	—	185

The Cincinnati Gazette of the morning after Election says:

"Our returns from Ohio are comparatively meagre, but we have enough to indicate that FRÉMONT has carried the State by an increased majority, as compared with the vote cast on the 14th October. In the face of this, the Democrats worked hard to carry this State. The Democrats claim that BUCHANAN was elected, but we feel confident that he has been grievously disappointed. The people of Ohio are good for a majority against the Slavery party for all time to come. We are proud of our noble State.

"There has been no falling off in the power of the Republicans of Hamilton County. Nobly have they performed their duty. Frémont's majority in this County will be [illegible] Roll. It is clear that their sympathies with the Democrats are [illegible] that they have been [illegible] to cast their votes hereafter to defeat the party. All hail, Republicans of Hamilton County!"

INDIANA—Presidential.

Allen	[illegible]	Delaware	[illegible]
Boone	[illegible]	Madison	117
Johnson	[illegible]	Randolph	[illegible]
Knox	270	St. Joseph	[illegible]
Marion	[illegible]		
Ohio	120		
Putnam	[illegible]		
Rush	70		
Scott	140		
Shelby	[illegible]		
Vigo	[illegible]		
Totals	4688	Totals	2131

Buchanan's majority, so far..... 2,557.

A dispatch received at midnight says:

"The telegraph lines in Indiana are down this evening. BUCHANAN's majority in the State is doubtless over 15,000."

ILLINOIS—Presidential.

	Frémont's Maj.		Buchanan's Maj.
Cookie	[illegible]	Alexander	[illegible]
Henry	1816	La Salle	[illegible]
Iroquois	440	Marion	[illegible]
Lee	16	Pike	[illegible]
Logan	30	Sangamon	[illegible]
McLean	290	Will	[illegible]
Putnam	140	Macon	831
Jo Daviess	14	Morgan	[illegible]
Ring	[illegible]	Total	1182
Lake	526		
Warren	[illegible]		
Total	5150		

Counties heard from—FRÉMONT's majority, 4,027.

Illinois cannot still be classed in the doubtful list, although the latest Republican claim it for FRÉMONT. Large Democratic gains appear in several Central reported, and the returns from 19 Counties, as above, cipher up a Democratic majority of 4,027. The following dispatch, from Hon. JOHN WENTWORTH, was published in the *Tribune* last evening:

CHICAGO, Nov. 5, 1856, 8 o'clock, P. M.—Chicago gives over one hundred, and county about three thousand, for FRÉMONT. Consider State safe.

JOHN WENTWORTH.

The Republican State ticket north of Springfield has over 20,000 majority. And in the whole State is all probability by 10,000.

Reports from Lake, Knox, Warren, Monroe, Henry, Kendall, Winnebago, McHenry, Iroquois, Lee, Rock Island, Lasalle and Stephenson, (from which we have very few returns) give FRÉMONT 18,053 majority. Majority to hear from.

In Jefferson, Union, Pulaski, Alexander, Massac, Johnson, Pike, Washington, Perry and Montgomery—Southern Counties, BUCHANAN's majority is about 4,000—a gain of 4,000.

A private dispatch says that FILLMORE is running so strong in southern Illinois that BUCHANAN will probably lose the State.

COMMITTEE—WASHBURNE, Republican, for Congress, in the First District, is elected by 11,500 majority.... FARNSWORTH, Republican, for Congress, in the Second District, has 12,200 majority.... LOVEJOY, Republican, for Congress, in the Third District, has 7,000 to 9,000 majority.... KELLOGG, Republican, for Congress, in the Fourth District, is elected.... There is nothing definite from the Fifth Congressional District.... Sixth District—ARCHER and BROWNELL, Republicans, are probably elected.... Seventh District—MORRISON and SMITH, Democrats, elected.

WISCONSIN—Presidential.

	Frémont maj.		Buchanan maj.
Kenosha	160		[None reported.
Mason	800		
Milwaukee	336		
Racine	450		
Rock	820		
Waukesha	1106		
Total	3682		

In Walworth, Waukesha, Kenosha, Rock, Grant and Lafayette Counties, FRÉMONT's majority is 6,000—gain, 2,859.

The majority for FRÉMONT in Wisconsin is at least 5,000.

State Tickets Elected—Nov. 4.

NEW-YORK.

Governor	John A. King		Rep.
Lieut.-Governor	H. R. Selden		Rep.
Canal Comr.	C. E. Sherrill		Rep.
Inspector of Prisons	W. Bailey		Rep.
Clerk of Ct. of Ap.	R. H. Hinks		Rep.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Governor	Henry J. Gardner	Rep.
Lieut. Governor	H. W. Benchley	Rep.
Secretary	Francis Dewitt	Rep.
Treasurer	Moses Tenney, Jr.	Rep.
Auditor	C. R. Ransom	Rep.
Attorney-General	John H. Clifford	Rep.

NEW-JERSEY.

Governor	Wm. A. Newell	Rep.

ILLINOIS.

Governor	W. H. Bissell.
Lieut.-Governor	John Wood.
Sec. of State	O. M. Hatch.
Treasurer	James Miller.
Auditor	Jesse K. Dubois.
Sup. Pub. Instruction	Wm. H. Powell.

MICHIGAN.

REPUBLICANS.

Governor	K. S. Bingham.
Lieutenant-Governor	George A. Cole.
Secretary	John McKinney.
Treasurer	Silas M. Holmes.
Auditor	Whitney Jones.
Attorney-General	Jacob M. Howard.
Land Office	S. B. Treadwell.
Public Instruction	Ira Mayhew.
Board of Education	Geo. Willard.

Congressmen Elected Nov. 4.

NEW-YORK.

Dist.	Republican.	Dist.	Democratic.
10—	Ambrose S. Murray.	1—	John A. Searing.
12—	John Thompson.	2—	George Taylor.
13—	Ab. E. Olin.	3—	Daniel E. Sickles.
15—	Edward Dodd.	4—	John Kelly.
16—	Geo. W. Palmer.	5—	Wm. B. Maclay.
17—	Francis E. Spinner.	6—	John Cochrane.
18—	Glenn B. Goodwin.	7—	Clifton Ward.
19—	Oliver A. Morse.	8—	Horace F. Clark.
20—	Orsamus B. Matteson.	9—	John B. Haskin.
21—	Henry Bennett.	11—	Wm. F. Russell.
27—	Henry C. Goodwin.	14—	Erastus Corning.
28—	Charles B. Hoard.	22—	Israel T. Hatch.
24—	Amos P. Granger.		
25—	Edwin R. Morgan.		
26—	Emory B. Pottle.		
27—	John M. Parker.		
28—	William H. Kelsey.		
29—	Sam. G. Andrews.		
30—	Judson W. Sherman.		
31—	Silas M. Burroughs.		Total Rep. 21
32—	Reuben E. Fenton.		Total Dem. 12

NEW-JERSEY.

Dist.	Republican.	Dist.	Democratic.
1—	Isaiah D. Clawson.	2—	Garret D. Ackerson.
3—	Geo. R. Robbins.	4—	John Huyler.
		5—	J. R. Wortendyke.

MASSACHUSETTS.

REPUBLICANS.

Dist.		Dist.	
1—	Robt. B. Hall.	7—	N. P. Banks, Jr.
2—	Jos. Burrington.	8—	Geo. F. Kinsig.
3—	E. A. Rockwell.	9—	[illegible]
4—	E. R. Comins.	10—	[illegible]
5—	J. Buffington.	11—	[illegible]
6—	Eben Wade.		

[illegible]

[illegible] Fillmore.

[illegible] Only one or two counties [illegible] Democratic [illegible]

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[illegible] Counties in the State showing a Fillmore majority.

[illegible] Presidential.

	Frémont.	Buchanan.	Fillmore.	Majority.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	154,188	110,587	28,475	

Twenty-five Counties thus far reported only by majorities. The popular vote of the State will [illegible]

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Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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[illegible] Only one or two counties [illegible] Democratic [illegible]

[illegible] Democratic majority for Fillmore

[illegible] blade and squeals. He utters the most thrilling and fearful vows of vengeance over his dead commander, but he avenges nobody; his sole delight is to suddenly emerge from the Dismal Swamp at an opportune moment for doing nothing, and then to disappear again in his swampy hiding place. He has last gone off one day on a mission of vengeance, and returns with a bullet in his breast and dies. Yet, notwithstanding the uselessness of Dred, his purposeless energy, his fiery determinations, and harmless fanaticism, it is a proof of his creator's genius that he becomes to us an object of interest, and we follow his movements with a kind of fascination, though we very soon become convinced that he will never do anything to merit our good opinion. Why Mrs. Brown introduced Dred into the story at all, and why she called her romance after him, we have not been able to discover. We have been told that she first called the story *Canema*, which would have been a more suitable name than *Dred*; but we can easily understand the difficulty she must have felt in giving it an appropriate title, since it has no special hero or heroine.

The most prominent character in the book, and the one that makes the deepest impression upon the mind of the reader, is Uncle Tiff, but even Tiff is a subordinate. *Dred*, in truth, [illegible] than a series of sketches of slave life in North Carolina, interspersed with moral reflections, theological discussions, and scraps of history; and the thread of story by which they are connected together rather tends to weaken than enhance our interest in them. The reader takes up the volume expecting to find it, what the title-page promises, a tale of the Dismal Swamp, and finds, instead, that it is only a series of sketches, admirable in their way, it is true, but still not forming a tale. The first chapter introduces us to Nina Gordon and her half-brother Harry, who holds the anomalous position towards her of being her guardian, her confidential friend, the manager of her property, the overseer of her plantation, and her slave; but he only knows the tie of blood which binds him to her. The interview between them strikes us as the greatest blemish of the book, it is altogether unnatural, and in style is not superior to the common run of magazine stories. Nina is an orphan; she has just returned from a French boarding school, in New-York, where she has finished her education. And, by the way, though girls' boarding schools are bad enough at the best, yet we do not believe there ever was one half so bad as the one described by Mrs. Stowe, at which Nina was finished. She is a capricious, extravagant, thoughtless flirt, and she confesses to her slave Harry that she has encouraged the addresses of three lovers at the same time, for the mere fun of enjoying their discomfiture; she is a spoilt beauty, an exaggerated coquette, with a perfect consciousness of her defects of education and of the impropriety of her conduct; but she likes the fun of it, and practices her airs with her new opera hat on Harry himself. It is hardly possible to help comparing this ideal flirt by Mrs. Stowe with that incomparable portrait of one of the species, embodied by Thackeray in Ethel Newcome. Women, in truth, are not good artists in painting themselves. Ethel is a flirt from pure womanly instincts because she cannot help it. She tries not to be but still she is. Nina, on the contrary, does it on purpose, and takes a kind of childish pleasure in encouraging hopes which she means to disappoint. She is the mistress of Canema, a large estate on the borders of the Dismal Swamp. She has a fine large house, with no one in it to be a companion and adviser but a stiff old aunt, who permits her to do as she pleases; she has a large number of slaves, and, but for her extravagant habits while in New-York, would be free from debt.

Canema is the kind of slave's paradise which the advocates of the "peculiar institution" hold up when the system is assailed, as evidence of its beneficent effects; and, if this were all of Slavery it would be a sufficient argument to silence all the attacks of its assailants. Every Southern man must dwell with delight upon the fascinating picture which Mrs. Stowe has so adroitly painted of Slavery in its best aspect. The mistress, though at first presented to us in a rather unamiable light, is indulgent to the extreme towards her human chattels, and becomes a high-minded woman of most exalted sentiments, and at last dies from her heroic devotion to the welfare of her people. Her overseer is one of themselves, attentive to all their wants, indulgent to their whims, and sympathetic in their sorrows. Harry himself has his pretty quadroon wife living in an elegant little cottage *ornée*, embowered in roses, where she prepares little surprises for him in the shape of suppers of peaches and strawberries, and receives him as gracefully and elegantly when he visits her, as Madame Pompadour welcomed her royal lover in the Petit Trianon at Versailles. But all these possible amenities and graces of slave life are only introduced to serve as a foil to the opposite view when the good mistress dies and the plantation passes into the hands of the bad master. All this is worked up with admirable effect and with great artistic skill. Tom Gordon, the brother of Nina, and the half-brother of Harry, is the Legree of *Dred*, and the ideal of the bad slave-owner. But, such rose-tinted plantations as Canema are extremely rare in the Slave States, and impossible in the region where Mrs. Brown has located it; a much better picture, and one which possesses more local truth and coloring is the dismal cabin of John Cripps in the pine forest, where we are first introduced to the incomparable Tiff, that sable Caleb Balderstone, who is destined to immortal remembrance. Mrs. Brown, in her portrait of Tiff, has added another permanent figure to the long gallery of fictitious personages who become as real to the minds of men as Napoleon or Julius Cæsar. Tiff should never have been transplanted from his native soil, but have been left to drop into the ground among the "fastest families" in whose grandeur he so much delighted. Tiff is a pure creation, a perfectly developed and harmonious being, consistent with himself, and true to nature in all his parts; and he is, moreover, a perfect type of a numerous class in the South; he is at once a reproach and a credit to the system to which he belongs. It cannot be a wholly evil system which begets such faithful natures as that of Tiff, but then, how needless-

ly cruel must the system be which [illegible] slaves of [illegible] who are as [illegible] servile, [illegible] true and faithful to those who enslave them.

It is impossible to give a proper idea of a work like *Dred* by a mere analysis of the story and the characters, as can be done by a romance of Scott's or Bulwer's, without also considering the moral question involved in it. *Dred* was not written merely to amuse; it was written to solve the serious problem of Slavery extinction—to expose its terrible effects, both upon the enslaved and the enslaver—and, perhaps, to show how the evil can be removed. In attempting the first of them, Mrs. Stowe has been eminently successful; but, in the last, she fails. The pseudo philanthropist of the South, who claims that Slavery is a Blessing to the negro, might draw a powerful argument from the fictions of Mrs. Stowe. She presents us with a great number of slaves who are persons of most exalted character. In fact, in *Dred*, the negroes are all models of human excellence—they are imbued with a devout spirit of piety—they are faithful to their master, kind to each other, witty, generous, heroic, self-sacrificing, tender in their sympathies, and magnanimous in all their conduct. Harry Gordon, the son of a slave mother, is altogether a model man, endowed with every grace of mind and person, while his half-brother, the son of a white woman, is a low, base, coarse, unfeeling, drunken ruffian, without a compensating virtue for all his vices. Milly, the slave mother, the black Niobe, who has seen her children torn from her, one after the other, and sold to supply money for her ill-tempered, extravagant owner, is a saint in her character, large-hearted, forgiving, industrious, and only anxious to do good to those who ill-treat her. Her mistress is a cold-hearted, snarling, superstitious, selfish, and altogether detestable old virago. So, all through the catalogue. Hark is whipped to death because he will not divulge the hiding-place of his fugitive comrades. Tiff, as we have seen, is a miracle of an industrious, tender-hearted, pains-taking, careful, and religious negro, while his owner, Cripps, is an ignorant, debased, improvident, thriftless and drunken vagabond. We are introduced to a conclave of slaveholding clergymen, who are delineated as a set of sneaking, hypocritical, canting knaves; the only man among them who engages our sympathies, Father Bonnie, being a sort of methodist Friar Tuck, whose hearty nature acts as a relief to his theological knavery. Father Dickson, who is flogged by his neighbors, for presuming to utter sentiments unfavorable to Slavery, is not one of the class of slaveholding clergymen. These contrasts of character are all on the side of the slave; and the moral they teach is, that the system has a refining and ennobling influence upon the negro, while it debases and degrades the master. The family of Judge Clayton are introduced, apparently, for the purpose of showing how utterly useless must be any attempt on the part of the slave owner to mitigate the condition of the slave, even when he earnestly desires to do so; the system permits no self-mitigation; it cannot be approached from without, nor amended from within. There is but one course for the slave owner, if he desires to benefit his slaves, and that is to run away with them into a Free State, and act as their guardian and instructor until they are capable of taking care of themselves. This is the solution of Slavery according to *Dred*.

Among the literary deficiencies of *Dred*, one of the most noticeable, and most easily avoided, is the lack of individuality in the names of the personages. Novelists may display as much invention and originality in their names as in their plots, and there are characters in popular fictions which owe their renown almost as much to their names as to the individual humor with which their author has invested them. Balzac, the greatest of French novelists, has been known to delay the publication of a work a long while, because he could not invent the right name for one of his characters. Theophile Gautier says it was his practice to walk through the streets of Paris, looking at all the signs and door-plates, when his invention failed him, to find a name adapted to his purpose. Thackeray has shown a wonderful invention in giving characteristic names to his personages; and so has Dickens, in his earlier works, but in Little Dorrit, he shows signs of waning power in the names of his characters. His imagination has lost something of its freshness and fertility. Mrs. Stowe has put herself to little trouble in order to give individuality to the names of the characters in *Dred*. Dred is not bad, but it is not specially good; it has the merit, at least, of being new, easily spoken and not likely to be forgotten; but otherwise it is not good. It does not seem to belong naturally to the character, as in the case of Becky Sharp, Quilp, the Fetheringay, and Richard Swiveller, Esq. Topsy is a capital name, and so is uncle Tiff. But Tiff is the only really good name in *Dred*. The author wishes to give a type of the highly respectable, mild spoken, quiet, learned, dignified and pious Doctor of Divinity of the Old School Presbyterian Church at the South; and she succeeds admirably in her design, presenting the world with a full-length portrait painted from life. But she gives this creation the name of Cushing, one of the most commonplace of New-England names, and so nearly resembling another New-England family name, that in one of the best reviews of *Dred* which we have read, Dr. Cushing is called all the way through Cushman. There have been several eminent New-Englanders of the name; the present Attorney-General of President Pierce's Cabinet has rendered it too famous for it to be applied to the imaginative representation of a class. If Col. Newcome were spoken of, everybody would at once know what the name meant; but to speak of Dr. Cushing would require the explanation of, Mrs. Brown's Dr. Cushing. The other names are all commonplace in *Dred*; the Harry Gordons, Frank Russells, and Judge Claytons, are the common property of Magazine writers, and show no invention whatever.

The winding up of the story is neither natural nor satisfactory. The heroine drops off with the cholera, just as we are beginning to feel an interest in her welfare, and her fate neither accelerates the *denouement*, nor is a necessary consequence of the previous events. Milly becomes a benevolent pie woman in New-York; Old Hundred, who, by the way, is one of Mrs. Stowe's happiest creations, about Tiff, dies of the cholera, and we lose him, just as we are expecting something of him; the children of [illegible] Crippe, the wi[illegible] very happ[illegible] with Tiff [illegible] daughter of the [illegible] tune, and marries a man [illegible] nothing, while Clayton goes to Canada with his colony of fugitives and freed slaves, and thrives in the dominion of Queen Victoria. Tom Gordon the scoundrel, lives at his ease on his plantation, and Father Dickson goes we know not whither. The escape of the slaves by way of Norfolk is not very probable, and the wreck of the vessel in which they take passage is entirely purposeless and very awkwardly managed. There is every appearance of hurry in the winding up of the story, as though the author were tired of the subject, or was under the necessity of bringing it to a close within prescribed limits. There is none of that feeling of inevitableness which should accompany the winding up of a fictitious narrative, and which forms one of the great fascinations of the romances of Scott and other masters of the art of the novelist.

We are by no means prepared to give an opinion adverse to Mrs. Stowe's claims to rank among the great novelists who have illustrated the present century. Certainly neither *Uncle Tom* nor *Dred* has surpassing merit of construction as a story, but, in the higher merit of delineation of character, she has earned the right to a niche in the temple where public opinion has placed Thackeray, Dickens, De Balzac and Bulwer. Though inferior to the authoress of *Jane Eyre*, in weaving the web of fictitious narrative so as to bind the attention of her reader, yet in dramatic power, and in sustaining her characters, and in touching the heart of her readers, she is greatly superior to that sphynx of the literary world. The blemishes of *Dred* might have been easily obliterated by a discriminating pen; the work would have been immensely improved by eliminating the greater part of the scraps of hymns and psalms which are so abundantly scattered through the second volume, and by omitting the tedious discussions which everybody falls into on all sorts of theological, political, and economical questions, which suspend the interest in the fate of the *dramatis personæ*, and are not eminently instructive in themselves. We trust that when Mrs. Stowe gives us another novel, though we have no wish to see her leave the province which she has made her own, that she will not consider the artistic treatment of her theme as secondary to its moral aspect.

KANSAS AFFAIRS.

Incidents and Observations of Travel in Kansas.

JOURNEY TO LAWRENCE, WASHINGTON AND TOPEKA.

On the 1st of July, I left Leavenworth with a friend to attend the Convention which was to assemble at Topeka on the 3d of July, the day before the assembling of the Legislature at the same place.

On our way we met two men, who hid from us at first, but recognizing one of them as we came up they both showed themselves. One was a young man, bareheaded and barefooted, who said his horse had been taken away from him, and he was then on his way to Fort Leavenworth, a distance of forty-five miles to demand of Col. Sumner a restitution of his rifle, which had been taken from him at the sacking of Lawrence—we afterwards heard he was successful with Colonel Sumner.

THE SABER AND THE DELAWARE INDIANS.

Our next incident was our encampment at Stranger's Creek during the latter part of the day. This creek was so swollen that we could not cross, so we encamped, as we expected, for the night. In a short time several others encamped with us. Among others was a Dutchman, who complained to us that, at the sacking of Lawrence, a few days before, Atchison, with his whole crowd, had entered his bake-shop, and had not only eaten up all he had, but forced his wife, by threatening her life, to cook all the flour she had in the house. This being done, they all eat all he had, and then left without paying a cent, thus breaking the poor Dutchman. Almost all of the company had some grievance or other.

Before night we got tired of our quarters, and my friend and I started off to look for quarters, and about three miles distant we found a farm-house and entered. We were hospitably received and very kindly cared for. We found that our host was a Pennsylvania Dutchman, named Zeigler, who had settled among the Delaware Indians 40 years ago. He married the daughter of the chief of the tribe, who then gave him all the lands he wanted. He had a fine farm under cultivation. His Indian wife was a pattern of industry, neatness, and also piety, added to which were intelligence and genteel demeanor that any one would be surprised to find in an Indian squaw. Mr. Zeigler had around him a fine family of boys and girls grown up, and great equestrians. Through the influence and association of Mr. Zeigler, the Delaware Indians have become civilized, industrious and peaceable. He was a strong Free-State man—very violent against P. Pierce. It may be added here, that the Indians are to a man in favor of a Free State, and have proclaimed themselves to be in readiness to enter into a contest with the Pro-Slavery men wherever wanted. Staid all night here, and next day continued our journey to Lawrence.

Reaching Lawrence, we found this to be a town of 3,000 inhabitants, almost exclusively composed of Abolitionists from Boston. The Free-State Hotel, which was destroyed by Atchison, was erected at a cost of $40,000. The people were full of excitement in regard to the Convention which was to assemble next day, and furnished two military companies, of about 350 men, all armed with pistols and bowie-knives. We had no time to stop here, but we learned that, in spirit, the Free-State men at this place were as savage as the Pro-Slavery men were elsewhere.

Washington and Tecumseh also lay in our route, and both these towns have Court-houses equal to a majority of the County Court-houses of the State of New-York.

At Washington we met a young man named W. R. Frost, a member of the Kansas Senate, who had the papers of the State Legislature in his possession. He was making his way to Topeka on foot—several horses having been stolen from him, one after the other. This system of taking horses is called "pressing," and justified on the ground that a horse in the hands of a Free-State man is a nuisance, as it might be used against the peace of the country, and therefore the Southern brigade seize them wherever found. Mr. Frost, thinking it dangerous for him to carry the papers fortune intrusted them to us. My friend and myself had a horse in a buggy, which we had procured from a livery stable in Leavenworth.

BALL AT TOPEKA.

During the evening of the 4th of July there was given in Constitution Hall, what, for this region, was a grand ball. There were about three hundred guests assembled, over one hundred of whom were ladies. We may say of this ball as of the one of the Pro-Slavery men at Leavenworth, that the men danced armed to the teeth, and the refreshments were cold water and corn cakes.

On the 5th of July we started for home, and when near Lecompton we overtook a company of Free-State men, who had in their charge a prisoner, a Pro-Slavery man, who on the same morning had deliberately shot in the back with a Sharpe's rifle, a Free-State man, while the latter was peaceably working on his farm. The party who had the murderer in charge were conveying him to Colonel Sumner for punishment.

On the way home we stopped for water at the cabin of the renowned Captain Walker, and much to our surprise we found him at home. We asked the Captain how it was he was at home, and he said, "For months I have been hunted like a wild wolf, my only crime being my opinions; and now I have gathered a few friends around me, and I expect every day my cabin will be surrounded, and I am determined to remain at home till she is given her trial and able again to receive her doctor at the household." Such is life in Kansas.

[illegible] WAY HOMEWARD.

[illegible] Illinois [illegible] from [illegible] their [illegible] groceries, dry goods and everything necessary for a complete settlement, and while in the act of stowing them in a warehouse at Leavenworth, the party and the property were seized by the Southern Brigade; their property wrested from them and themselves placed under a strong guard on board of a steamboat and carried prisoners to Weston, Missouri, and there detained for sending them down the river.

From Weston, Mr. Strong made his escape and reached his friends in Leavenworth in safety. Having arrived there, he applied to Gov. Shannon for the restoration of his property. The Governor's reply, was "I can render you no assistance whatever." Mr. Strong then said I am hunted by these armed bands of Southerners, and I believe they intend to take my life. My only offence is, that I come from Illinois, a free State, and therefore I am denounced as an Abolitionist. He in addition to this, "said he had come into Kansas peacefully to settle—that his father was one of the largest land-holders and cattle-owners in the United States. He wished to go to Judge Lecompte for the purpose of stating his case to him and having his property restored by the civil authority. That he could not reach Judge Lecompte in safety, and therefore requested of the Governor an escort for his protection.

The Governor referred him to Col. Sumner, and gave him a note to that gentleman. Mr. Strong then in company with C. P. Cummins, of Leavenworth, and myself, visited Col. Sumner at his quarters at Fort Leavenworth. Col. Sumner informed us that he no longer held command; that Gen. Persifer F. Smith was present, to whom he introduced us. To Gen. Smith, then, Mr. Strong stated his case and asked for a restitution of his property.

Gen. Smith replied, "I cannot restore your property. You must go to the civil authority."

Mr. Strong replied, "I cannot reach the civil authority without a safe-guard. I will be murdered on the way. Men are now out hunting me." (Upon our return to Leavenworth, we ascertained that ten armed men of the Southern brigade, supposing Mr. Strong had taken the direction to Lawrence, had left Leavenworth shortly after we did for the purpose of capturing him, and at the very moment we were conversing with Gen. Smith they were scouring the country.)

Gen. Smith replied, "I cannot grant you an escort. The Government of the United States cannot afford to give protection to every citizen that asks for it. If the civil authority is not strong enough to redress your wrongs at this time, your remedy is in the future."

Mr. Strong—"By that time, Sir, these men who have committed this outrage will be beyond this Territory and scattered all over the United States, and it will then be impossible to reach them."

Gen. Smith—"That, Sir, is your misfortune. If the times are so dangerous for you to travel, you had better not travel. I can only act subordinate to the civil authority when called upon by them to do so."

Mr. Strong then said: "If, then, under these circumstances, I organize a party of my own friends to protect me on my way to the Judge, who resides some five or six miles from Leavenworth, will you disarm them?"

Gen. Smith—"Yes, Sir, I will." Gen. Smith, in addition to this, offered as consolation to Mr. Strong "that the laws are not only powerless here, but elsewhere it is the same. In the City of New-York Wm. Poole was murdered, and up to this time his murderer, Lewis Baker, has received no punishment. During the conversation, Mr. Strong said one of his party was missing at Lawrence, and Gen. Smith said the circumstances were such as to justify the supposition that he had been murdered.

The above is an exact report of the conversation between Gen. Smith and Mr. Strong; and the latter gentleman finding he could obtain no redress from Gen. Smith, the three of us returned to Leavenworth, and subsequently Mr. Strong reached Lawrence in safety, where he was beyond danger, being entered in the company of Free-State men.

VISIT TO THE HEAD-QUARTERS OF THE SOUTHERN BRIGADE.

About the middle of July I visited the head-quarters of the Southern Brigade of Leavenworth. I ventured upon this visit without fear, having the advantages of an acquaintance with some of the members from South Carolina. Upon arriving at their quarters I found them located in a two-story frame house, with berths all round like the cabin of a ship. Here they amuse themselves with card-playing, drinking whisky, watching for Free-State men upon the arrival of the boats, and selling out for the seizure of Free-State goods, or fleecing, as the case may be. I asked one how they supported themselves, and if they paid their own expenses. His answer was, "Support, h—l, the Missourians pay all our expenses."

This company is one of hundreds similar to it, scattered along the borders of both Kansas and Missouri.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

On the 17th of July, fully satisfied with all I had seen and heard, I directed my face towards home. I left Kansas for Weston to take the steamer down the Missouri. The scenes which I have described at Leavenworth City are an index of the State. Everywhere it is the same; but to record all the outrages committed by both parties that fall under one's observation would require a much greater amount of space than can be afforded in this letter. Kansas is one of the most rich and fertile States of the West. Its bosom abounds with stone and granite and mineral wealth, and her capacity as a grazing country is not surpassed. But now all business is at a stand, and ruine and death, like a pestilence, walk the land. Settlers who, 20 and 30, and even 40 years ago, were the Daniel Boons of Kansas, and who there have wrought out with their own hands happy homes in the depths of the wilderness, are now awakened to see the profit of their labors blighted, and the security which time promised them during their years of toil suddenly snatched away. They are now told that "their remedy is in the future." Long may the one remedy to which all men resort to last—to light their wrongs—remain in the future; for, when the time comes to apply it, it will be like the bursting of a volcano, and scorching lava overwhelming all opposition. If the fires of open rebellion are yet smothered at Topeka, they may nevertheless break out at last. It is better to remove the fuel from the fire, than still to heat it on, and take the risks of smothering the flames again when next they threaten to break forth.

GOV. REEDER'S GRAVE DUG AT WESTPORT.

Arriving at Westport on our way home, one object of significance at this place was the grave of A. H. Reeder, prematurely prepared, and in which the Pro-Slavery men say he shall rest if he ever returns to Kansas. This grave stands under the shade of a large tree, directly in front of the Farmers' Hotel, the head-quarters of the Pro-Slavery men of this town. The grave is dug to the proper depth, and in the soil thrown up is thrust a spade, indicative that the "narrow cell" is waiting for its occupant. At the head of the grave stands a large white marble slab, purchased at St. Louis by the Pro-Slavery men at an extravagant price. Upon this slab is engraved the following

EPITAPH OF GOV. REEDER.

Reader, pause! beneath this stone
lies A. H. Reeder—flesh and bone;
Who, when living, for the sake of self,
Mingled with great rascals like himself
Indians, rejoice! for unto you
He'll never more apply the screw;
But think of him, who robbed you here,
When he at judgment shall appear—
Satan will exclaim with glee—
Welcome Reeder! Come with me.

This epitaph is dedicated to the Southern Democracy. The secret of Reeder's unpopularity is in his recognizing the Free-State Legislature. The same threats which are made against Reeder are made against Gen. Lane, if he should enter Kansas again.

ON THE BOAT COMING HOME.

Coming down the river, I noticed that since I had gone up in June the banks of the Missouri, at various points, had been ornamented with cannon. I was green enough to ask one of the passengers what these cannon were for, and he said they were there "to shoot the G—d d—d Abolitionists with." I was satisfied and asked no more.

On coming down the river I fell in with a man of the name of McC——, of Missouri, the prominent Pro-Slavery man at Westport. I shall describe him as a specimen of the Southern men in Kansas. We were one day [illegible] sat down by me and we began [illegible] of the Kansas soil. After some [illegible] tion McC. asked me what my politics were, as I knew he was a democrat in such matters, I said I was no abolitionist. I was in favor of Slavery [illegible] have the [illegible] I was afterwards told that I was [illegible] Dunn, of the U. S. Army, who was on board, for [illegible] on the boat, the [illegible] in Kansas by Gen. Sumner. [illegible] all appearances [illegible] plotting to tar and feather me behind my back, because he supposed he had the power to do so, and all because I had expressed my political opinions. Well, I was not much frightened by the threats, from the fact that there was on board a Free-State man, with whom I had been [illegible] quainted, who said he knew this McC. to be a very daring fellow, and that he himself was to the south in which Slavery treaties was [illegible] men. This friend constantly [illegible] the difficulty with McC. "but in his might [illegible] the exquisite pleasure of popping him over in a genteel quarrel," as he said. If it had not been for this good friend I might [illegible] very much frightened. I don't know that I would—I only say—perhaps. I declined making the quarrel with McC., saying that as I was in his house I would behave gentlemanly, and perhaps [illegible] cause of complaint. I have given this little incident of our homeward journey merely as a sample of the way in which quarrels are got up in Kansas. Mr. McC. informed me he was on his way to Georgia for sale. [illegible]

NEWS FROM KANSAS.

CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN KANSAS—ACTUAL STATE OF AFFAIRS IN THE TERRITORY—SUFFERING AMONGST MANY—GRAHY, ETC.

Correspondence of the New-York Daily Times.

Lawrence, Kansas, Saturday, Oct. 25, 1856.

The Methodist Episcopal Church held its last week, holding their annual Conference in this city. Clergymen and laymen from the various districts in the Territories of Kansas and Nebraska were present. The meetings were held in a large [illegible] tent, well attended throughout the day and evening.

Messrs. Henry Hoover, [illegible] Bowles and Jacob Fisher, who were on trial on Friday last on a charge for "assault and battery with intent to kill," were acquitted from that charge, the jury bringing in a verdict of not guilty, after being out about half an hour. It was proved that they were at Hickory Point on the 15th of September last, and assisted in the attempt to discover a band of house burners and murderers concerned there. Other indictments are against these men, and they will probably be on trial next week. The Court will remain over until Monday next.

Governor Geary, with one of the Free-State Marshals, assisted by the United States Troops, has been in the southern portion of the Territory for the last week, engaged in the kidnapping of Free-State men, who are taken prisoners without warrants, they being in Kansas an alien constitution. A gentleman who has just returned from that section, informs me of the above, and states that eight Free-State men had been arrested, and were held as prisoners, and not a single Free-Slavery man has been molested by his excellency and his cohorts.

Col. Cook, of the United States Army, has sent a note to Major Woods, (who is stationed here with a company of infantry,) inquiring "what armed party it was that entered Lawrence on the 11th inst. and denouncing him for allowing them to pass without examination." The Major replied, by stating that he did not consider it his duty to molest persons who had passed the inspection of the Colonel himself and Governor Geary; and the party referred to, entered this city at the time specified, with flag flying, drums playing, and in regular order, nearly all of the men armed with rifles or sabres. [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.

If Judge Edmonds, or Mr. Isaacwood, or might other of those rapped sons who hold communing with the spirits of the mighty dead, were to question the pleasant shade of Shakspeare as to which of his plays he loved the best, he would doubtless answer "As you like it." The shades and shades of the "Midsummer's Dream" are not of a real world; even the "Tempest," that creation of enchantment, brings up the mournful truth that

"We are such stuff
As dreams are made of, and our little life
Is rounded with a sleep."

In "As You Like It," all is human. Banishment is not pain. Princesses become shepherdesses, and are the better for the change. Lords lie scattered under trees with as little care for what they have lost as the acorns beside them; music is on the air and life has lost none of its animation or its beauty; in trees there are tongues, and books in brooks, sermons in stones, and good in every thing. "As You Like It" was Shakspeare's wish from the first scene to the last. In no other play do we find the same perfect carelessness. He seems to have laid down in some sylvan scene, and, musing upon life, to have let fall, as they came and scattered among the passengers, the gems that dropped from the gorgeous wealth of his intellect.

The one sad character is Jaques, but he is but as a sounding. Without him the picture would be without relief. He is as the shady bough in the forest habitable. He gives to solitude the wisdom of his city. He is not a misanthrope as represented, but a [illegible] man of melancholy mood, whose contempt for humanity is more nearly allied to pity than to hate. His paroxisms are humorous but not bitter, and he is [illegible] anything but savage. For instance, see how the gentleness breaks through when old Adam comes.

The character in every respect approaches to ideality to Mr. Wallack's nature, and his representation has consequently one of those delightful pictures which now to be witnessed on the stage. As he enters, instead of obtruding himself in front of the [illegible] as would be the fashion of all your great players of to-days, in the spirit of the true artist, he takes place among the other foresters around, and until [illegible] calls him from his brother spectators, would look to a stranger, but as of the denizens [illegible] nothing could be more beautiful or correct than his delineation. There is no affected or [illegible] quy, but as he speaks there is apparent the sweetness of heart and mind that [illegible] to a man like Jaques. It had all the freshness, the [illegible] refinement and at times sensitive melancholy which belonged to a liberal gentleman, [illegible] could be more exquisite, either, than the way in which Mr. Wallack brought out the melancholy wardness of the character whose wildness breaks into melancholy mirthfulness and all those shifting lights that relieve the picture.

Nor less exquisite was Mr. Wallack's Touchstone. Touchstone is a combination of Diogenes and Wamba, and Mr. Wallack makes him precisely as he should be, pleasant mixture of the Cynic and jester—a kind-hearted fellow, whose other propensity is the exercise of his craft, imparting no sting, and his quaintness is quite in character. It was [illegible] of dramatic porcelain.

The delivery of Mr. Dyott, who played the Duke, was, as usual, somewhat dyspeptic, and he was hard as Hickory. He was [illegible] oil to soften the grating hinges of his utterance. He is one of those mandarins of delivery who break sentences into bits with the hammer of emphasis. It is a defect which mars his many excellences, as in particular parts where his [illegible] comes a virtue, he is deserving of [illegible] dation.

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Election-Day Rowdyism.

A notorious fellow named JOHN MATHEWS was arrested yesterday for riotous conduct on Election Day. It is charged that he had a gang of rowdies went into the Fulton House in East Broadway and assaulted the bar-keeper, besides breaking or damaging the furniture to the amount of $100. On leaving, he fired two pistol shots at Mr. JOHN MURPHY, the proprietor, and knocked down and assaulted upon a man 70 years of age, named HENRY RITZ, who was so badly injured that Coroner PERRY thought it necessary to take his dying deposition. MATHEWS was held to answer in $1,000.

THOMAS WEBB was arrested by the Third Ward Police for stabbing DAN. O'CONNELLY at one of the First Ward poll districts, during a riot which occurred there on Election day. Justice OSBORNE held him to bail in $1,000, and immediately after sent the complaint before the Grand Jury. The wounded man is in a critical condition.

The Police Officers HIRES and KEEN, who are charged with late doings with the election, and refusing to protect citizens who wished to vote, gave bail to answer yesterday before the Recorder. Affidavits were made by the complaining parties. Some of the Twenty-first Ward rowdies were arrested and held to answer. The Recorder promised to make an example of such convicted blackguards.

The Troubles in the First Ward—A Letter from Mr. Hallister.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

SIR: In your issue of to-day you state that I was arrested yesterday for attempting to interfere with the Police in the discharge of their duty. This is false, and the facts of the case are as follows:

About half-past seven o'clock yesterday morning, as I was getting out of a stage on the corner of Broadway and Morris-street, I observed a disturbance in Morris-street, near Greenwich-street, and went to see what it was about. On arriving at the scene, I saw Lieut. BALDOM, of the First Ward Police, flourishing a pistol over his head, and inquired of a bystander what the difficulty was about. He said immediately a friend had of by Patrick DUFFY and two or three other ruffians of the First Ward, who called out, "Here officer, arrest this man." That thereupon Lieut. BALDOM came to me and said, "Yes, we want you," and arrested me. I was brought by him to the Station-House, and, without any charge being preferred against me, my person was searched by his orders. I called upon BALDOM to make a charge against me, and he refused. He then brought me before Justice OSBORNE, at the Tombs, and upon being called upon by the Justice for his charge against me, said that he had none to make; but, pointing out another officer present, said, "He will make one." The officer then called upon immediately said, "I have no charge to make against Mr. HOLLISTER; I know nothing about it." I was then released.

These are the facts of the case, and I trust that you will do me the justice to correct the mistake you have made and insert this letter.

I intend to have a judicial investigation into the matter, and the parties guilty of this gross outrage upon my rights punished to the extent of the law.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN J. HOLLISTER.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 5, 1856.

☞ Greenish people would have thought that yesterday would be a day of fat eating and hard drinking—that the successful candidates were "at home" to entertain all that called; or, if around, treating all hands—or that feasts on the winning side supplied the millionaires had come—that the noise of rejoicing filled the City—that cannon roared from the roofs, horns blared, drums beat, people shouted, and all that. Natural as it would seem, however, there was nothing of the sort. Nothing now was to be gained by noisy demonstrations. Drumming or torchlights. The defeated had no heart for display. The elected had spent money enough for their success,—nobody has likely to do that than they for many months hence.

☞ There was considerable excitement in the City Hall, yesterday, that was not confined to the Board of Aldermen. It was occasioned by a rumor, which may not have had sufficient foundation, that the incoming Common Council talk seriously of turning out all the present clerks, from the venerable and universally respected Mr. VALENTINE down to the Doorkeepers, for improper use of their official positions in the recent City elections. Who dares to talk of cutting "Uncle DAVID?"—Give us the ayes and noes on that.

☞ To all lovers of the noble sport of silencing the defeat of Alderman BARCOS, who came by his reduction in the Thirteenth Ward, will be a sad grief. Who now will present anti-allen documents? Who will write in the lofty style of BARCOS? Who introduce resolutions, the very preambles of which are better and fruitier than a whole encyclopedia of humor? We shall all miss BARCOS. Like Shadd and Jonathan, BARCOS and BRANDY are not expected to stay behind.

TOM BOY.—Left the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in this City, where he was recently placed, a dark-mulatto boy, 12 years old, named JOHN GLENDEN, from Bloomsbury, Sullivan County. He has black hair and black eyes, and a slightly stooping gait. He wore away a gray Kentucky jean sack coat and pantaloons. As he cannot be found in the City, it is supposed that he may have attempted to return home. Whoever will give information of his whereabouts will perform a humane act and oblige

N. F. PEET,
President of the Institution.

☞ A portrait of Chancellor THEODORE FRELINGHUYSEN, painted by E. Sarrazin, has been placed in the Council room of the University, the beginning of a gallery of heads of the benefactors of the University.

☞ About 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the body of an unknown man was found floating off Pier No. 1, East River, and taken to Wallabout by the Coroner's officers.

The Board of Aldermen met on Wednesday, 11

[illegible] reports of Committees on Assessments and Claims, from the Board of Comptroller, were referred to committees of this Board.

The Board concurred with the action of the Board of Councilmen in relation to the construction of a sewer in Stanton-street, by commencing with certain character houses. Also, for the formation of a receiving basin in Thirty-seventh-street. Aldermen RAY, with significant alliteration, observing, "our constituents will with have our scalps," explained the provisions of an ordinance whereby a lady resident in First-avenue sought permission to undertake the grading in the neighborhood of her premises—the matter, after some discussion, was referred to the Committee sought.

It was moved that the Board adjourn to Friday evening, and afterwards during the session hereafter Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Carried.

The names of Chambers-street and Park-row were proposed to be changed to East Broadway by communications. It was thought its effect will be the improvement of property.

Alderman FOX thought the changed name would drive away the stock sections and Jews.

Alderman VARIAN and Alderman VOORHIS did not believe that would be sufficient to drive away the Jews. Alderman CRANDY alluded to the liberal language of the East of Chatham in the British Parliament, and having no desire to obliterate his name, he would vote for having one street in the republic that would perpetuate the recollection of his noble conduct. After some talk about "the children of Israel," and "Israel, as usurpers," to Alderman HOWLAND, as the "standard bearer of the tribe," a motion was made to postpone, indefinitely, and lost. On the question of accepting the report and adopting the resolution, 9 voted in the affirmative and 14 in the negative, so the resolution was lost.

Board of Education.

The regular meeting of the Board was held on Wednesday evening at the Hall, ANDREW H. GREEN, Esq., President, in the chair.

A communication was presented from the Tenth Ward relative to "pipe-laying" in Chrystie-street, for the new school, and leave granted. An application for a new school in the Fifth Ward was referred to the Committee on New Schools. A communication from the Fourteenth Ward asking for $100 for stoves, &c., for school No. 5, was adopted. A communication from the Eleventh Ward in relation to a new site was read; the resolution not adopted. A communication from H. MCKILLOP, JAMES FARLEY, and H. BOOTY, offering property for a school site was referred to the Committee on Sites and School houses.

Mr. ADAMS offered his resignation as a member of the Committee on School books, which was accepted.

A voluminous communication from Comptroller FLAGG was submitted, in which he decides against granting $120,000 claimed by the Board. It gave rise to a prolonged discussion, which resulted in its reference to the Finance Committee, to prepare an answer thereto to be printed in connection with the document.

Mr. WILLIAMS presented the Annual Report of the Free Academy, which was ordered to be authenticated and sent to the Regents.

Several resolutions to make payments of sundry bills were adopted. The report of the Committee of Supplies, awarding contracts, was presented by Mr. DAVENPORT, which was ordered to be printed.

The Committee on By-Laws reported in favor of appointing a special committee on the Fourth Ward complaint against certain School Officers.

A resolution to hire Oliver-street Church for School No. 24, reported by the Committee on Sites and School houses, was under discussion when a call of the house was ordered and the Board adjourned.

COURT CALENDAR—FRIDAY.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Trial Term*—Nos. 245, 502, 528, 529, 16, 619, 620, 623, 629, 592, 546, 647, 649 to 654, 655, 657, 660, 660, 661, 664, 665, 666, 667, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 676, 677, 679, 680, 681.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Circuit*—Nos. 2149, 2279, 2108, 2184, 1966, 1962, 2068, 2091, 97, 98, 99, 56, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 8, 9.

SUPREME COURT—Nos. 18, 42, 10, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—Nov. 6.

Before Judge Nelson.

William B. Sickels vs. William Borden.—In this case, which has been on trial for several days before a jury in this Court, the jury were this morning charged by Judge NELSON, and the case delivered to them. The action is brought to recover for an alleged infringement of a patent issued to the plaintiff in the 1st, for an improvement in the mode of tripping and dropping the valves of steam engines to enable them to cut off steam more perfectly and easily, by making the motion from the eccentric instead of from the lifting-rods. The infringement of the patent is in the machinery used on board the steamboat *Metropolis*.

The jury, after a short absence, brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for the sum of $750.

For plaintiff, Mr. Cutting and Mr. Dickerson; for defendant, Mr. Stoughton.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Before Judge Betts.

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LONG ISLAND.

Ward Officers in Brooklyn.

Upon receiving fuller returns of the votes cast for the Ward Officers, we have the following corrections and additions to make to the list of "probably elected," published Wednesday morning:

ALDERMEN.

Ward.		Ward.	
XI.	Wm. Vail, A.	XVII.	J. F. Patrick, A.
XIII.	Benj. W. Wilson, A.	XVIII.	A. Suydam, A.
XIV.	J. Callahan, D.	XIX.	Fred'k Schoh, R.
XVI.	Anthony Wells, A.		Wm. Jenkins, R.

The vote for Mayor, as appears from the returns, and estimated in two Districts, is as follows:

PEWZIE, 12,169; HALL, 9,901; STEVENS, 4,960.

Early in the Field.

Tuesday evening, while the Republicans were waiting in the Rallying Hall, corner of Orange and Fulton streets, Brooklyn, to learn the result of the election, the President of the Rocky Mountain Fremont Club announced that the Club would continue as an organization, simply changing the name to The Rocky Mountain Republican Club. This announcement was received with thunders of applause. The reorganization was completed last night.

☞ The Lyric Club, of Williamsburg, gave one of their very pleasant soirees on Wednesday evening, the occasion being the Sixth Anniversary of their organization. The company assembled in Professor TEFFON's saloon at an early hour, and whiled away the evening hours till supper time, when they sat down to a sumptuous repast, where toasts, speeches, and bright eyes enlivened the scene. When we left, they were tripping it with a hearty will, and seemed determined to "keep it up till morning."

Suspected Foul Play.

On Tuesday last a man, seriously injured, was brought to the Kings County Hospital, suffering from severe injuries. The parties who brought him represented that he had been sent there from one of the Police stations in Brooklyn. He was so near dead as to be unable to give his name, and died yesterday morning. It is supposed that he must have been beaten at one of the polls and sent to the Hospital by parties interested in his case. The Coroner will investigate the case to-day, when it is to be hoped that the mystery will be cleared up satisfactorily.

A Cool and Complacent View of the Slavery Question.

From the Charleston Mercury.

We copy a very striking article from the New-Orleans *Delta*, bearing on this subject. The *Delta* is a paper from which we have more frequent occasion to copy political sentiments than any other in the South. There is a boldness and vigor in its discussions, an elevation in its tone, and a breadth and originality in its political views, that make it an exceedingly interesting journal, and cannot fail to give it a commanding position with the Southern people. In the article which we quote, the *Delta* assumes, and maintains with perfect truth, that it is the Southern Resistance party which has caused political reaction at the North, and made the election of Mr. BUCHANAN to the Presidency, apparently a matter of certainty. That by preventing the issue of Disunion to the North, they have forced all sober thinking men to come to his support. They have, in fact, forced the North to "calculate the value of the Union," and the result is, the most extraordinary and untiring exertions to save that beautiful North from the disastrous consequences of a dissolution.

The *Delta* does not, in the least, over-estimate the force of this resistance movement. We have always known and said that the South, united and firm, could always drive back the forces of Abolition. That the North had no such confidence in her own resources, as was incessantly and earnestly claimed for her. That she would not, only, never take a step that certainly led to Disunion, but that if Disunion came she would never dare to take a step to replace the Confederacy by force. This latter consideration has always induced us to maintain that a separation of the Union would, and in the nature of things must, be peaceable. *We have it in our power to dissolve not only the North, but the greatest nations of Europe.* These that, therefore, must be our friends and allies, and the North would be paralyzed in the very effort to raise a conflict of arms.

The British journals show their appreciation of this reality by fastening, in all possible ways, the curse of Slavery hurt of the North. They make tirades, founded upon sentiments of the Northern journals, which are so terrible, in their criticism of the institutions of the New-York *Tribune*. But the object of this vituperation is only thinly disguised, and every now and then it drops from the sneering mouth of the British that the only design is to provoke the frantic spirit of the North to do the very thing—the dissolution of the Union. Let that object come to be accomplished, and we should speedily witness a change in the tone of these journals.

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The Meaning and Effect of Mr. Buchanan's Election.

From the New-Orleans Delta.

Mr. BUCHANAN, if elected, will owe his success entirely to the reaction in the northern mind, caused by the determined attitude of the Southern party. We may be called extremists, or fire-eaters, or what not—it does not matter. While we cannot be driven into the abandonment of principle to serve party success, we are ready to maintain the rights and institutions of the South, even to disunion. This conviction we have fostered in the Southern mind. It is a pity it was not fostered twenty years since. It would have saved to the parties a deal of trouble. But the Southern party has something else to do now. Having checked for a time the Black Republican crusade, we must push forward these reforms at home which are necessary for the assertion and maintenance of our equality in the Union, or of our nationality and independence out of it.

Remember that Nicaragua and Cuba are vastly more important to us than Kansas Territory, though we should not renounce the latter. Mexico is not far off. The genius of commercial empire beckons to us from Tehuantepec. But Nicaragua is the great political nucleus, and while the national men of the South are busy over the spoils of the victory won through the courage and boldness of the Southern party, let us put forth all our strength in Nicaragua.

We have only four years to prepare for the great contest of 1860. Give WALKER the power, and he will solve not only the Central American question, but with it that of Cuba. Once firmly established in Nicaragua, he will restore the West Indies to their original condition as slave colonies. It can be demonstrated that the comparative decline of New-Orleans commenced with the abolition policy of England in the Antilles. Restore—only restore the Central American Isthmus, and the Mississippi will be the great highway of nations instinctively. It only requires the union of the organization of Central America, as a slave producing country, with the redemption of the West Indies from more barbarism, to make New-Orleans the centre of a vast tropical empire, and to realize, in association with the Pacific trade, the advantages to which she is geographically entitled. This is a work for the Southern party. We have shown our power in national politics, let us give it practical direction at home.

In the foregoing we have briefly reviewed the causes which led to the reaction in the North, and sketched the assumption that BUCHANAN's election was a certainty. But what will be the signification of his election, with regard to all the important questions of the day, we shall be compelled to leave to the solution of time. So far as it may convey a rebuke to the fanatical spirit of the North; so far as it may be an effectual protest against the open attempt of one section to subject another to the tyranny of a hostile majority; so far as it may show that the resistance policy on the part of the South is really the only policy that can save the Union and our rights and our honor at the same time; thus far, at least, it will be a triumph for the South and a valuable lesson to politicians of both sections. It will prove that Northern interest is superior to Southern fanaticism, and that Slavery, through the subject of sectional agitation, is really the strongest conservative and national element in the Union.

What the Northern wing of the Democratic Congress may do with the Slavery question, we shall have to leave to future developments. We fear, however, it is deeply imbued with the non-extension theory to which so many Democratic leaders, North and South, have given their sanction. It was no good omen to see the younger VAN BUREN and BROWNSON making speeches from the same platform, and in the same cause, and the elder VAN BUREN and Mr. BUCHANAN embracing upon the same construction of the Nebraska bill.

These omens have not been improved by the previous declarations made by Democratic speakers and journals of the North—that the Black Republicans utter "infernal lies" in charging Mr. BUCHANAN with being in favor of Slavery extension. Why so earnest in the denial, if the Northern Democracy desire to preserve the political equality of the South, to which the extension of Slavery is essential? We agree with us, we see *The Ostend Manifesto*, to which *Mr. Buchanan is pledged*. There is sound enough Southern doctrine in that, and if Mr. BUCHANAN shall live up to it, well and good; we will be the first to throw the mantle of forgiveness over all his past political sins of omission or commission. Meanwhile, as we have often said before, though not unexceptionable, he is our choice for President; but in supporting him we have never intended to sink our eyes open, and have desired that the Southern people should have their eyes open also. If they vote with them shut, it will be no fault of ours; if deceived in any particular, they cannot shake their heads and say we did it.

The future is yet a problem. Assuming Mr. BUCHANAN's election to be a certainty, the horizon is still misty. But of this we feel sure: the Northern reaction against FREMONT is due to the resistance party, and the *Delta*, and other so-called extremists and disunionists of the South have been the true Unionists.

"A distinguished Louisianan," writing to the *Delta* from Washington, justifies his letter as follows:

"But the time is now past to discuss this matter, (disunion.) A truce of four years to words—let us go into action—make our terms, based on the Constitution—and determine not to have peace till these conditions, just in the eyes of Heaven and man, are subscribed to by the whole country. Fire, existence of the Union depends upon it. I say for one, and I say it boldly, 'upon the extension of Slavery hang the equality and very existence of the South,'—the extension of Slavery is the most effective Union-preserving plank that can be constructed into the Democratic platform. Let us have it in by 1860."

Walker in Nicaragua—The Dangers of his Position.

From the Louisville Journal.

Although the overshadowing claims of the canvass now closed have not of late permitted us to bestow much attention upon WALKER in our columns, we have not by any means forgotten him or been unmindful of his course. On the contrary, we have watched his movements closely and with constant interest. We yet have faith in his mysterious star. He has, indeed, committed many indiscretions, and some that appear to us all but inexcusable, and he has thus far, we confess, exhibited no very manifest or conclusive proof of that disinterested elevation of purpose by which we have hoped and now hope that he is actuated. But his purpose, if not elevated, is at least wonderfully firm, and he has certainly displayed the highest courage and decision and the most unflinching fortitude in pursuing it.

Since the roar and tumult of the Presidential canvass shut WALKER out from our immediate view, he has been regularly chosen President of Nicaragua, and has inaugurated a vigorous and efficient Government in the teeth of the violent opposition of the very party upon whose summons he entered the country and upon whose support he was believed to be the strongest man he possibly. He has shed the stain on which he was supposed to be disgraced as a boisterous and lawless adventurer, and has shown himself a man of great strength and glory of an intellectual kind. He is a Power. He has grown to be the Chief Man of the country which he was thought to be the Chief Man of Nicaragua. And we say that he is the chief man of Nicaragua, and that the chief man of Nicaragua is the chief man of the country.

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Revolutionary Men and Events—Interesting Reminiscences.

LEXINGTON, Jefferson Co., Va.

From the Petersburg Gazette.

In the immediate vicinity of the spot from which I address you these lines, are the dilapidated and antique residences of three distinguished heroes of the days of the American Revolution. Within a radius of one mile and a half lived long and weary years, CHARLES LEE, the sinister hero of Monmouth; HORATIO GATES, the loser of the battle of Camden and the southern campaign; and ADAM STEPHEN, the early friend of WASHINGTON. In this little village—in whose gothic forests I am gazing—under the shadows of the green woods here—remote from camps and the fleeting world, these three warriors lived and died. One day of their lives in inglorious repose, the swords in moth-eaten scabbards, no more to be drawn. Here, if I mistake not, two of them died, and some imperishable lingering memorials of them will crumble and disappear, as their figures are fading from the public mind.

LEE's house is a hundred paces from the little assemblage of houses called by his name, and is a long building of stone, with chimneys at each end and midway—low, with a rude porch, depending, as it were, above the rough door, and a few outbuildings. GATES lived somewhat farther from the town, in a plain, undecorated building; and STEPHEN occupied a mansion probably built by the earliest pioneers of the valley, in which everything is small and confined but the fireplace. But this is neither small or cheaped; it is grand—enormous. Around it, how many good companions must have gathered in the olden days, and what sounds of revelry shook the rafters overhead! You may read of Adam Stephen in Sparks's edition of the writings of WASHINGTON, and there you will find that, among the lively gentlemen who stood shoulder to shoulder with the young chief of Virginia, when the Indians ravaged the valley a hundred years ago, was Hector Cameron. A merry revelling man, about, he doubtless, was Adam Stephen. Hundreds, thousands, streaming towards him out of the great North Mountain, at least, to hear that Stephen good service. He was afterwards an officer of the revolutionary struggle, but left the army about the period of the battle of Princeton, disgusted at something or other—and so came hither and lived and died.

Of GATES and LEE more is known. The story of the woeful quarrel of the latter with WASHINGTON at Monmouth, you may read in full in the records. Indeed, the volumes of IRVING's great work, probably the history will show that LEE was not so much to blame in ordering his forces to retreat, as that this retreat very nearly ruined all the plans of WASHINGTON, and lost to the battle—this is admitted, but it was probably an error of judgment—not a want of courage. In LESLIE's great picture, he sits his horse gallantly before the ranks whose fire has gone out. All that he did and said afterwards was unfortunate, unfortunately. High words—indignant expostulations—WASHINGTON cold and haughty—arraigning; then a court-martial—suspension for a year—and LEE, in utter disgust, threw up his commission, and came hither "to hoe tobacco—the most manly best school for a general," he said, with a sneer at WASHINGTON. And here, in this poor and obscure dwelling, as I have said, rusted out the sharp sword of LEE, and fell into dust and oblivion. With few neighbors—and friendless—except the negroes, who horrified and mystified by the presence of a hero, lived long years. The General died. One day long afterwards, an old friend of the Commander-in-Chief, WASHINGTON, sent his old adversary a message, that he would call on a certain morning, and hoped that—that he hoped all past contention and bitterness had been forgotten—he was coming to see him as an old comrade in arms—as a friend.

On the day fixed for the visit, LEE had ordered his servants, placed upon the locked front door a paper with "WASHINGTON rocked here to-day," and then, on and then followed his servants leaving WASHINGTON to knock in vain. He never returned; and, with the passing year, the paper—the door—the house—the grass and sunshine. The grass and sunshine of old days was divided by chalk lines merely, forming thus four compartments. In the first, LEE had his bed; in the second, was his bed; his saddle, and harness, and in the third, the fourth was used for a kitchen, and contained his cooking household. Tired of life and his sickly misanthropy at last, he terminated his days. Political and Military at last, he terminated his days. Political and Military at last, he terminated his

the point of this foundation. It will doubtless [illegible] results, but we cannot forget that he has always been quite an useless a position as could be found in the City,—that his protest against making a political engine of the Police Department was postponed until it was used against himself, and that his vigilance and zeal in the cause of order now are due quite as much to his bitter quarrel with Mayor Wood as to any other cause. Still, we are not inclined to complain of him for all this. If he will act with energy, and use his power on the side of justice and of law, we will not scrutinize too closely the motives of his action. The City cannot afford to look *such* a gift horse in the mouth.

Waiting for the Presidential Wagon—The New Administration.

We have received a stack of letters urging the instant recognitation of the Republican Party,—the unfurling of the standard for 1860, and a general bugle-blast all along the line for another Presidential contest. That is all very well for those who like it, and have nothing else to do; but we must beg to be excused. The TIMES is tired of politics and wants rest. It purposes to devote its attention mainly to other matters—not neglecting political movements by any means, nor professing any indifference to the general course of political parties. But it prefers for a while to stand a little back, and look on. Those who got the steam up so high during the last canvass, that they are compelled to keep the wheels still moving to prevent an explosion, may well enough enter upon a new campaign. There is certainly a prodigious amount of unspent enthusiasm in the Republican ranks. We never knew a defeated party appear half so much like a victorious one; and if the election were to be held over again next week, or next month, we are confident it would have a different result.

But we must take things as they are and make the best of them. We are to have a Democratic Administration for the next four years. We fear it is not likely to commend itself very much to the favor of those who have resisted its advent. We don't see any very strong warrant for believing that its policy will be more just, more national, more conservative than that of its predecessor. And yet it may be. If it differs from that at all, it must be better,—for it cannot be worse. And we propose to wait a while and see what will come of it. We shall not declare war upon it in advance. We have a much deeper interest in the good government of the country,—in the preservation of its liberties, in the maintenance of the Union, in the promotion of justice, and the establishment of peace, than we have in any party triumph whatever. We have advocated the election of FREMONT, because we believed these ends would be much more surely attained under his administration than any other. We are more confident of it now than we were before the election. Yet in spite of failure we shall not abandon hope. Good has come out of Nazareth, and may again.

BUCHANAN has it in his power to do the country signal service. He is strong in position with the South. He has their confidence and support. If he chooses to spurn dictation and act for himself,—if he will rebuke and put down the sectionalism which threatens so much evil to the country and has already done so much harm,—if he will at once give Messrs. WISE, BROOKS, TOOMBS, KETT and Company to understand, that he does not intend to administer the government upon their platform, nor make its powers subservient to their projects and purposes, he will find himself immensely strong with the best portion of the American people in all sections of the country. He must know, from what he has seen of the canvass, that the acts and declarations of these men have been a heavy drag on the Democratic Party. He must know that the hearty, earnest wish of every Northern State is that Slavery should not be established in Kansas. He must know that Pennsylvania is in favor of making Kansas a free State, and that his friends everywhere at the North have declared that he was in favor of it also. If he will act upon this basis,—if he will *let it be understood now* that he is opposed to the extension of Slavery into that Territory, and that he will take effectual measures to carry into full and fair effect the principle of Popular Sovereignty,—that the Executive power shall no longer be employed to crush out freedom of speech and of action there,—he will enter upon the Presidency with far greater strength in the North and throughout the Union, than he had on election day.

We fear that the chance of his taking this course is not very good. If he had the nerve and the will of JACKSON, or half the courage and independence which have been claimed for him during the canvass, he would speedily give the country assurance of such an Administration as should make its peace and welfare superior to all party interests and considerations. The great danger, as we have already said, is that he will be merely an instrument in the hands of others.

AN OASIS—PRINCE JOHN ALL RIGHT ON THE RECORD.—It is pleasant to observe that amidst the varying fortunes of the political fight, JOHN VAN BUREN holds his own. His influence can be traced all along the line of his electioneering route. Chicago, where we believe he began, rolled up a roundly increased majority for FREMONT. The Western and Northern sections of this State, where he labored with special zeal, send down prodigious pluralities for the candidate whom he opposed. St. Lawrence, Onondaga and Cayuga counties, which he visited, seem to have forgotten that BUCHANAN was in the field at all. And nothing apparently saved Monroe from giving a unanimous vote for FREMONT, except that JOHN failed to keep his appointment there in consequence of a storm on Lake Ontario. New-York,—which he quit at the very *opening of the canvass*,—showed her sense of the service by giving a larger Democratic vote than ever before.

JOHN has talents; and it is cheering to see them thus appreciated. His speeches always tell,—though not always in the precise way he would prefer. But the people will not forge his eminent services in 1848,—and the recollection of them called up by his efforts now, was too potent even for him to overcome. He tried to dove-tail his Free-Soil sentiments then upon the Buchanan movement now;—but the effort was a failure. The people liked the sentiments, but repudiated the attempted application.

JOHN deserves office at the hands of Mr. BUCHANAN, and we trust he will obtain it. Many reverses is rewarded in this world. Some of his old friends have quite unscrupled him in the political race. JOHN COCHRANE, for example, got office under PIERCE and is now elected to Congress,—by doing the "heavy work" of the Administration. The Prince's work proved decidedly heavier,—but the results don't show so well. In politics men are paid for what they accomplish,—not for what they undertake. Prince JOHN must try again.

Prospects of a busy time in Mexico—Wars domestic and foreign.

Our neighboring Republic is again in trouble. Her condition is never precisely that which philosophers would fancy for their Utopias. Her Government has usually had on hand at least one revolution, but it is now threatened with two or three,—to say nothing of the external perils which menace it on every side. Spain and England are clamoring for debts past due. The United States hover on the northern frontier, with purse and sword, ready to take advantage of their poverty with the former, or of their distraction and ruin with the latter. At the South stands WALKER,—beckoning in a spectral way to the forlorn Republic, bidding it take refuge in his alliance and in his arms, and secure the fate of Nicaragua. The position of President COMONFORT, with these external incidents added to the standing perplexities of the Government, is about as enviable as that of a stout gentleman, up a tree, of a particularly dark night, out of reach of help, and with sundry ravenous wolves, bears and other fascinating companions of the same sort, awaiting his descent.

When COMONFORT succeeded ARISTA in the Government of Mexico, he had the good fortune to surround himself with better heads than had usually girdled the Presidential office. He saw the necessity of reform and acted upon it. The liberal party was conciliated by the restoration of freedom to the press. The constitution of 1824 was revived, and submitted to the representatives for such revisal and amendment as the lapse of thirty odd years exacted. And last, and boldest of all, and yet not bold enough, the immense estates of the Church were confiscated to the State, and ordered to be sold in small parcels, so as to increase the popular landholding interest a thousand fold. These things, together with the commencement of certain important works of internal improvement, constitute the leading characteristics of the Comonfort Administration, and mark an improved era of Mexican affairs. Recently, however, the arbitrary silence imposed upon the two liberal presses of the capital evinces a diminishing desire to conciliate the liberal interest, and some motion towards appeasing the plundered church. The result of these diverse and not always consistent measures has been to stir up the elements of formidable opposition to the Government. The Church is incessantly busied in contriving plots, forging ecclesiastical weapons of nameless but endless variety, to effect the overthrow of Constitutional Republicanism, with the blazon of "Religion and the People," break out daily, and are suppressed with growing difficulty. General VIDAURRI holds the State of New Leon in an attitude of successful insurrection against federal authority; GARCIA is master of Tamaulipas; ALVAREZ, the conqueror of SANTA ANA, is in a state of sympathetic insubordination in the South. Altogether, the in-door arrangements of Mexico are of the most tottering and threatening character, inconsistent, we fear, with the realization of the reforms which there was reason to hope might be effected. The inside pressure now brought to bear upon the Administration, no Administration could long resist.

But this is, after all, of far less consequence than the aspect of her foreign relations. COMONFORT was hardly in office and at work at the foundations of mother Church, and in a fair way to come into a snug fortune from the result of his operations, than Spain demanded interest on a batch of questionable debts, alleged to be due subjects of Her Most Catholic Majesty, and which SANTA ANA had by treaty contracted to pay. COMONFORT found that upon all of these debts the usury was so enormous as to justify quarrel with the payment, and also that a vast bulk of the claims were forged and spurious. He declined to settle. Spain sent a fleet and a negotiator to Vera Cruz; the negotiator was outwitted by the Mexican Minister of Finance, and went back with a treaty to Madrid, which the Spanish Premier flung in his face. So another fleet, with prodigious land forces, and a bloodthirsty veteran from the East India service to head them, now lies at Havana, threatening another and more cogent descent upon the commercial capital of Mexico.

England, too, is on hand with an armada as large as the Spanish. Some canny Scotsmen, trafficking at the little city of Tepec, experienced certain damage in consequence of one of the petty revolutionary *émeutes* of that locality. They appeal for redress from the perturbed authorities of Mexico to the idle officials of Downing-street; and probably fearing the consequence of the Spanish attack will be bankruptcy without assets, John Bull sends a squadron along to collect the little bill. All this bravado and assault President COMONFORT is called upon to repel, with a legion of insurrectionary fiends and plotting confessors of the holy church at his back, to assist in his overthrow. We fear he cannot accomplish the task. The Republic is threatened with imminent perils.

It is by no means unlikely that our own Government may be tempted bye and bye to interfere in some way or other. The zealous champions of the Monroe doctrine,—especially those of them who haven't the least idea what that doctrine means, and are therefore much the most vehement in sustaining it,—will be very likely to see, in the movements of Spain and England, a call for our special intervention. Mr. BUCHANAN may find a very interesting state of affairs prepared for his advent in this quarter.

EXTENSIVE PURGATIONS.—One of the organs of the Know-Nothings in this City thinks it necessary that the American Party should be at once purged of its traitors. But any attempt at such a course would leave, we apprehend, a very small party behind. The Know-Nothing Party has, thus far, proved a kind of political purgatory in which men fit for neither of the other parties have found themselves a temporary resting place, until election day, and then the exorganization processes goon very actively.

Mr. [illegible], the President of the New-York Academy of Music, [illegible] note to correct a statement concerning the [illegible] of the Fourteenth-street house:

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

Although I do not feel called upon to notice every false or exaggerated statement that may appear in the papers relative to the Academy of Music, yet, as article appearing in a journal of the circulation and influence of the TIMES requires that the public should be disabused of the erroneous impressions it conveys, viz: that "All they (the Executive Committee) now ask is $2,000 a week," &c.; to which statement I respectfully beg leave to say that the Baron STRAMBOVICZ offered $2,000 per week for the Academy, and the Executive Committee agreed to let him have it for $1867 50, instead of $2,000 per week, as stated in the TIMES, this sum to include the wardrobe, music, gas-man, fire, firemen, &c., which offer was accepted by the Baron STRAMBOVICZ. The Executive Committee did demand, as one of the conditions of the negotiation, a retraction by MAX MAREZEK of his speech at the Academy, in which he grossly insulted the stockholders, as he would not be permitted to enter the Academy as leader of the orchestra.

JAMES PHALEN,
President of New-York Academy of Music.

It seems, therefore, that we have been misinformed on one important point—the rent, and that the Baron is only expected to pay $767 50 per week. We trust there will be no difficulty in the matter, and that the bills and the coppers will be handed over punctually. Although an advance of 50 per cent on the rent paid by MAPLESON, the Academy is cheap—remarkably cheap at the price.

But the bold Baron has not yet done the deed. He deliberates calmly at the cool end of the Boston telegraph line, whence he discharges messages to his New-York serfs. The magnates of Fourteenth-street, on the other hand, are in a fever of excitement, and have had a special meeting for the express purpose of considering whether or no they ought to let the house when they have a chance of doing so. The obstacle in the way of a perfect arrangement is—it will be seen by the above letter—the calamitous MAX. They are determined to have nothing more to do with this fiery and unfortunate little gentleman; he talks too much, writes too much, does everything but pay too much for their placid habits. Therefore he is to be whistled down the wind, and reduced to the level of a bad boy. It is impossible to foresee the dreadful consequences of such cruel treatment. Poor MAX may be brought to the cruel necessity of conducting a street band composed of one clarinet and fifteen trombones, or compelled to seek a precarious living by beating a big drum in one or other of the small theatre orchestras about Town; or perhaps he will turn agent and astonish the country with the literary excellence of his puffs,—for he is a deuce of a fellow when he gets a pen in his hand. It is dreadful to think how low he may sink; the heel of the Executive Committee is on his neck, and down, down he must go.

Seriously, the Committee of the Academy are behaving childishly in thus pursuing a poor wretch of a manager who, after all, merely spoke the truth. The offence, too, is of such rare occurrence, that one might think it would be cheerfully overlooked. It is unreasonable and bootyish to say that MAX should not enter the house until he has retracted. He ought to be hooted through the streets if he did such a thing, even on thought of it. What is the poor Baron to do? He cannot go on without a conductor, and to get a new one now would lead to great confusion and delay. Our sympathies are entirely with the Baron. We are quite sure that MAX MAREZEK can take care of himself.

As for Mr. PHALEN, there is but one course left open to him. He demands an apology, and, if MAX refuses to give it, must, as a matter of course, proceed to extremities. MAX is an excellent shot, (especially with the long bow,) and has fought a great number of duels in a highly scientific manner.

NO MORE DISUNION FOR THE PRESENT.—The election of Mr. BUCHANAN will deprive the leading papers of the South, such as the Charleston *Mercury* and the Richmond *Enquirer*, of one of their most fruitful subjects for leading articles. Of course, now that they have obtained all they were aiming at by their outcries and threats of disunion, they will be quiet until another Presidential campaign, when the old cry will be revived, and our timid conservatives will be frightened out of their propriety by the bullying threat of secession from a few South Carolinians and Virginians. To give these gentlemen due credit, it must be confessed that they only threatened to dissolve the Union in the event of their candidate not being elected. If allowed to have their own way, to have control of the Government, and a man of their own choice placed in the Presidency, they would be willing to remain in the Union, and enjoy the profits and delights of office. Even the most exacting and ultra of the whole gang of seceders promised if Mr. BUCHANAN were elected to remain quiet for four years longer. The chivalrous BROOKS will not now march upon Washington, seize the public archives, and march off with the public chest, as he promised, like Samson with the gates of Ghiza. The capitol may be considered as perfectly safe from any attack of that kind during the next four years; the two wings of the capitol extension can be quietly completed, the dome of the rotunda erected, and the work of ornamentation and enlargement successfully carried out. Disunionism is scotched for the present, and torpid; the spirit of discontent has been mollified, and that peculiarly Southern sentiment, which breaks out quadrennially, will satisfy itself by mild ebullitions in Southern conventions for concentrating trade at the South and transferring the empire of commerce from New-York to Charleston or Norfolk.

CUSTOM HOUSE COMMOTION.—A ghastly doubt comes over the faces of the office-holders in the Custom House, in the midst of their rejoicings. Now that BUCHANAN is elected, they begin to consider the chances of their remaining in office. Their heads don't sit quite so firmly on their official shoulders as they did. They remember that *rotation* in office is a Democratic law,—and that there is a very large and a very hungry horde outside, waiting with as much patience as they can command for their seats.

Besides, the Old Liners, who were so unceremoniously thrown overboard by President PIERCE, look for the day of their restoration. Mr. Collector REDFIELD may as well pack up his household effects and prepare to resume his country residence at Batavia;—for his place will most assuredly be wanted by Mr. SOULE on the 4th of March. JOHN COCHRANE took time by the forelock and engineered himself into Congress. Whether Captain BURNES can be spared by any Administration is doubtful.

[illegible] survey yesterday called the attention of the Court of General Sessions to the delay of Inspectors in filing returns. The Recorder charged the Grand Jury on the subject. At noon yesterday the following returns were behind:

First and 2d districts of First Ward; 1st of Second Ward; 1st and 2d of Third Ward; 1st, 2d, 4th and 5th of Fourth Ward; 4th of Fifth Ward; 1st, 2d and 4th of the Seventh Ward; 4th and 6th of Eighth Ward; 1st, 2d, 3d, 5th, 6th and 7th of Ninth Ward; 3d and 4th of Tenth Ward; 2d, 3d, 7th, 9th and 10th of Eleventh Ward; the whole of Twelfth Ward; 1st, 2d and 3d of Thirteenth Ward; 1st 4th and 6th of Fourteenth Ward; 5th and 6th of Fifteenth Ward; 1st, 2d, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of Sixteenth Ward; 3d, 5th, 6th and 10th of Seventeenth Ward; 1st and 4th of Nineteenth Ward; 1st, 4th, 5th and 7th of Twentieth Ward; the entire Twenty-first Ward; 1st, 2d, 4th, 5th and 6th of Twenty-second Ward.

Let us hear of some earnest action on this subject of "fixing" returns. And all persons cognizant of illegal appointment of Inspectors, of their adjournments, of private counting, and who can give the names of the poll clerks and acting Inspectors at the above districts by sending this day to JUDGE BULL, Esq., the foreman of the Grand Jury, information of these matters will very *practically* serve public justice.

GREAT LAND SALE.—A sale is to take place on the 17th of the present month, of about 200,000 acres of the best lands in Kansas, lying upon the Missouri River, at the very entrance of the Territory. The sale is to be at Fort Leavenworth, under the direction of the Government, and is to be to the highest bidder *for cash*. These lands have been appraised by Commissioners at from $1 25 to $10 per acre. They must be the first to be settled in the Territory, and will probably sell at such prices as will enable the purchasers to make a very handsome profit upon them.

A Trust Company has been organized in Boston, of which AMOS A. LAWRENCE, W. D. PICKMAN and R. B. SOMEN are Trustees, which proposes to receive money for investment in these lands. They will either sell shares at $100 each, or take money to be invested directly for the owners. Although the accounts first received will be applied to the purchase of these lands on the 17th, funds can be used to equal advantage during the whole winter, and interest is allowed from the date of receipt. JOSIAH LYMAN, Esq., Boston, is the Treasurer.

The scheme is a good one, and promises to put the ownership of these lands in the right hands.

PRESIDENT WALKER.—The Louisville *Journal* gives this enterprising gentleman some good advice, in an article which we copy in another column. It speaks in the highest terms of the energy he has shown, and wishes him entire success in the establishment of his rule in Nicaragua. But it warns him against permitting himself to be made the mere tool of the Slavery zealots of the South, and sinking what may otherwise become a great movement of civilization, into a vulgar plot for promoting the extension of Slavery.

The Charleston *Mercury* varies the tune a little. It applauds his reintroduction of Slavery into Nicaragua, but cautions him against adventures in *Cuba*. It deprecates such a movement as certain to enlist the hostility of England and France. The *Mercury* is evidently not yet prepared for a practical enforcement of the doctrines of the Ostend manifesto. Mr. BUCHANAN will please make a note of this fact.

SENSIBLE.—It is rumored that Mr. BUCHANAN does not intend to undertake the occupancy of the White House alone. He feels the necessity of a help-meet; and is said to have made arrangements for a joint tenancy with an accomplished Southern widow who has already had the advantage of four years' experience in that position. This is the most sensible thing we have heard of BUCHANAN's doing since the canvass opened. If it prove true, we shall have the most sanguine hopes of his Administration. This may account for the sudden *burking* of the story that started the rounds in *Harper* some months since about his early love experiences.

FOOD FOR MEDITATION.—Now that the Editor of the *Express* is not to have thrust upon him the duties of Governor, he will have a little leisure on his hands. We venture to ask that he will improve some of it by studying the files of his paper for the last three months,—so as to make himself fully aware of the amount of dirty work which has been done through its columns for the accomplishment of a political object. Such a review may be of some service to himself, if not to the public:—for we are quite confident that after making it—if the same contest were to be waged to-morrow, he would not carry it on in the same way.

FORESIGHT.—One of the Republican Committees has nominated Col. FREMONT for President in 1860. No similar movement has yet been made for Mr. FILLMORE. We are authorized to say that BRANCH will be in the field again for Mayor, but have no similar assurances on behalf of WHITING or LIEDY.

Three Steamboats Aground.

The steamboats *Hendrick Hudson*, *Francis Skiddy* and the *New World* ran aground at Castleton about 10½ o'clock on Wednesday night last. It appears that they turned aside from the channel to make room for a quantity of barges which were in tow. The passengers were landed in small boats, and proceeded to Albany yesterday morning, where they arrived in time to take the express for this City. From the last accounts the boats were still aground.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY [illegible] Wanted, 100 smart, active, [illegible] good standing [illegible] I. O. O. F. [illegible] United States with [illegible] pertaining of [illegible] the Order. The right kind of [illegible] times to give this notice their [illegible] calling upon or addressing WM. H. [illegible] Appleton's Building, No. [illegible] York, or MIDDLETON, WARD [illegible] Walnut-st., Odd Fellows' Hall, Cincinnati.

OUR LAST RETURNS [illegible] NIA show that the sales of [illegible] RESTORATIVE have increased [illegible] TIVE. Reader, if you cannot [illegible] give it a trial. Prepared and sold by [illegible] CO., No. 513 Broadway, Saratoga [illegible]

NOVEMBER, LADIES, WITH [illegible] and if you wish shoes [illegible] gaiter boots and shoes of all [illegible] children's boots and shoes [illegible] the various styles, [illegible] Boots manufactured [illegible] J. R. WILLIS & CO.

DIFFICULT BREATHING.—IN FIVE MINUTES RADWAY'S READY RELIEF will [illegible] breathe free and easy.

RADWAY & CO., No. [illegible]

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between us under the firm of [illegible] is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either party [illegible] liquidation.

[illegible] SMITH.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1856.

COPARTNERSHIP.—SMITH J. EASTMAN [illegible] this day formed a copartnership with [illegible] and will continue the Provision [illegible] firm of EASTMAN & LLOYD, [illegible] Broad-st.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1856.

EASTMAN & LLOYD, Commission Merchants, [illegible]

SMITH J. EASTMAN, JOHN LLOYD.

With [illegible] we propose to [illegible] hands, for the selection of [illegible] cheapest in stock of PROVISIONS [illegible] PORK, BEEF, LARD, TALLOW, [illegible] PICKLED and DRY SALT MEATS, HAMS, SHOULDERS, &c.

We respectfully solicit the continuance of the [illegible] of old friends, and [illegible] the patronage of the trade generally. All orders, [illegible] by mail, will receive particular attention, and be [illegible] at the lowest market price.

HERRING'S PATENT CHAMPION FIRE-PROOF SAFES.—With Hall's Patent Powder-Proof Locks, [illegible] same that were awarded gold medals at the World's Fair, London, 1851, and the World's Fair, New-York, 1853, and are the only American Safes that received medals at the London World's Fair.

These Safes now give evidence to the [illegible] ever offered the public, and the manufacturers [illegible] world to produce an instance of these Safes failing to preserve their contents through the hottest fire, or a burglar picking the lock.

The subscribers and their agents are the only persons authorized to make and sell Herring's Patent Champion Safe, with Hall's Patent Powder-Proof Locks.

S. C. HERRING & CO., [illegible] 125, 127 and 129 Water-st., and [illegible]

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KELTY & FERGUSON, No. [illegible] Broadway, [illegible] No. 68 Reade-st., have a full and [illegible] TER, SATIN DE LAINES, WORSTED [illegible] WINDOW CURTAINS, Brussels [illegible] offered at the lowest prices.

WINDOW SHADES.—Our stock of WINDOW SHADES is the largest in New-York, and our [illegible] facilities enable us to offer them [illegible] houses. We invite the attention of [illegible]

DAVID'S EXCELSIOR [illegible] WITHOUT PREPARATION.—This [illegible] much improved since the fire of August, and [illegible] it to the trade with a guarantee of its

SUPERIORITY OVER ANY OTHER.

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THE REMARKABLE SUCCESS OF HOSTETTER'S VEGETABLE STOMACH BITTERS [illegible] appetite, dyspepsia, liver complaint, &c., is unprecedented. They impart health and tone to the weak, [illegible] constitution, and should be in the hands of every [illegible] person. Sold by all grocers, druggists and hotels. HOSTETTER & SMITH, Proprietors, Pittsburgh. BARNES & PARE, Broadway and Fulton-st., wholesale agents for the East.

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A comparison of our styles and prices is respectfully solicited.

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SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES—SIMPLE AND PERFECTION COMBINED.—We are now selling machines for family sewing, tailoring and other [illegible] which complete six stitches at each revolution of the wheel. Also, improved machines, sewing from three stitches at each revolution. It will be clearly demonstrated that no other kind of sewing machine [illegible] fore the public, in competition with ours, can stand without positive loss.

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A QUARTER OF A CENTURY [illegible] since the establishment [illegible] JENNINGS & CO., No. 294 Broadway, [illegible] successfully carried on. The [illegible] ready-made clothing, and [illegible] This season's productions in [illegible] gent coats, &c., surpass all their former [illegible]

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On the EUROPEAN or AMERICAN PLAN, as [illegible] Invites the attention of [illegible] Also, of Fashionable [illegible] Winter quarters. Steam heat throughout.

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DR. ALVAN GOLDSMITH, PROFESSOR OF SURGERY, having returned to the City, [illegible] practice, and will also give a course of lectures [illegible] tricity, (for removing stone from the bladder without cutting,) together with all the diseases incident to the urinary organs. Office No. 19 Franklin-st., hours from 9 to 12 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M.

MEN'S AND BOYS' OVER COATS.

Be sure and call at No. 3 Cortlandt-st. if you want to buy an overcoat one third less than [illegible] closing out my stock of Winter clothing to make room for Spring goods. N. A. KNAPP, wholesale clothier, No. 3 Cortlandt-st.

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TREES AND PLANTS.—PARSONS & CO., [illegible] Flushing, L. I., offer for the present season a large and [illegible] of trees for the street, the lawn, the [illegible] garden, and the greenhouse.

The Democrats indicate that we underrated the vote of the German vote which was cast [illegible] in our paragraph of yesterday. [illegible] strong German Wards of this City probably full one-third of the Germans voted with the Republicans, and in Illinois and other Western States we are inclined to think the proportion will be still greater.

[illegible] at all associated with the facts can [illegible] there is a wide difference between the Germans and the Irish, in regard to their [illegible] in politics. The Germans at home are better educated politically than the Irish. They are more familiar with political organizations and the manner of party conflict,—and have been in the habit of attaching more importance to principles in connection with them. They bring with them to this country less of their home quarrels and domestic [illegible] and much less to perpetuate on our soil the wrangling and snarling of political [illegible] at home. They read more,—think more and are far more independent in their political action; and experience shows that they are much more readily and easily Americanized,—that they identify themselves much more completely with the institutions and the interests of this country, and take a more intelligent part in connection with them, than the Irish.

The Irish are more undeniably clannish, [illegible] and blindly controlled by leaders and demagogues in their political [illegible] The simple fact that they go [illegible] that they vote in a solid body, is [illegible] proves this. No other class of our citizens [illegible] The Scotch,—the Welsh,—the French,—the English,—never herd together and go in flocks with any particular party. They act upon their individual convictions of duty and policy. Each man reads and thinks and judges for himself. The great mass of the Irish do not. There is no such thing as individual action among them. They act in a body:—they go in shoals;—and the whole Irish vote is always cast in bulk. Why should this be so? It could not be, if they acted intelligently and independently. If their action was decided by the reading, the reflection, the investigation of their individual members, there would be the same diversity of political sentiment among them that pervades all other classes of American citizens. They do not act upon knowledge or upon principle. They are the tools of demagogues. Their action is decided, not by appeals to their judgment, but by the orders of their superiors, or the most dishonest appeals to their credulity and their hatreds. Of course, our friends are not to be included in this category. There are among the educated portion of them high-toned and accomplished gentlemen;—and they will be the first to concede the truth of our statements in regard to the great mass of their countrymen. They are the hardest material out of which intelligent American citizens have to be made.

We are not at all surprised at the existence of an American Party. Such a sentiment as that party represents will always exist, and will be powerful just in proportion as the political evils which flow from the ignorance, credulity and reckless political action of the mass of foreigners among us, are more or less keenly felt. If the leading men among the Irish desire to diminish what they have some reason for considering a hostile and proscriptive sentiment, they must do something else than denounce and complain of it. Let them remove the evil which causes it. Let them teach their countrymen to become men, instead of political tools,—to act upon their personal convictions of public policy, instead of their clannish instincts and class hatreds. Let them cease to be *a herd*,—and become individual citizens; and they will disarm and dissipate all hostile organizations which live upon their vices and defects.

The Recorder's Charge.

All parties do not take their defeat so philosophically as the Republicans. Recorder SMITH ran for Congress and was beaten, and he seems to have come out of the contest in an unamiable mood. He is especially savage on the Mayor and Police. Luckily for the public, his anger takes an innocent and praiseworthy shape. It spurs him to the vigilant performance of his duty. If this were the uniform effect of defeat, we wish a good many of our other City officials had undergone the same stimulus.

The Recorder's charge to the Grand Jury, yesterday, is especially emphatic in regard to frauds and misconduct at the elections,—and asserts that the Police Department was particularly lax in the performance of its duty. We congratulate the Recorder upon his discovery. We only regret that he should have been in office two years, and sat as one of the Police Commissioners all that time, without finding it out before Election day. There has been hardly a week or a day in that whole time which has not witnessed some shameful inefficiency or dereliction on the part of the Police. Yet we have heard no outcry from the Recorder,—no appeal to the Grand Jury,—no avowal of his determination to use his power as one of the Police Commission, and as virtually constituting the system for the punishment of all offenders.

We are glad of this belated revival of zeal on

WANTED—BY A STEADY, RESPECTABLE [illegible] girl, a situation as seamstress; [illegible] all kinds of family sewing in the [illegible] dressmaking; could assist [illegible]

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GERMAN [illegible] do the housework of a small private family; can give the best of reference from where she lived several years; wages not so much of an object as a good home. Call, for three days, at No. 132 East 26th-st., 2d floor.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY TWO RESPECTable, industrious girls; have lived with high families in England; will take moderate wages in City or country, one as cook, washer and ironer, or general housework, the other an excellent chambermaid and waiter; also an intelligent young English woman as nurse and seamstress; apply at No. 271 Bowery.

WANTED—A SITUATION FOR A FIRST-CLASS cook; understands her business thoroughly; is neat, willing and respectful; also an excellent, highly recommended German Protestant girl, competent, in every respect, to do the general housework of a private family, or in the capacity of children's nurse and seamstress. Apply at MANNING'S, 16 Tillary-st., near Fulton, Brooklyn.

WANTED—A SITUATION FOR A GIRL, SIXteen years of age, to take charge of a child. Can be well recommended by the family in whose employ she has been for three years past, and who are desirous of procuring a good home for her. Wages $4. Apply at No. 129 West 31st-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl, a situation as chambermaid and waiter; is a good plain sewer, and takes care of children; the best of City references. Apply at No. 218 Avenue-A, between 14th and 15th sts., New-York, or address MARY ANN, at this Office.

WANTED—TO BROKERS.—A BOOK-KEEPER fully conversant with the stock jobbing commission and exchange business, desires employment after 3 P. M. Writes very rapidly and has references of the first character. Compensation moderate. Address GEORGE, *Daily Times* office.

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WANTED—BY A YOUNG WOMAN, A SITUAtion to take care of children and do plain sewing or chamberwork and waiting; is willing to make herself generally useful to her employer. Can be seen for two days at No. 84 8th-av., second floor, front room.

WANTED—SITUATIONS AS AN EXPERIenced nurse and seamstress, as a good cook and to wash and iron, as chambermaid and waiter, as laundress, and to do general housework, by very competent girls. Call at No. 72 6th-av., in the bookstore.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS AN EXPERIenced seamstress, by a respectable girl, who is a nice hand at ladies' and children's clothing and family sewing—would do as nurse and seamstress. Call at No. 72 6th-av., in the bookstore.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS cook, by one who understands cooking in all its branches; no objections to assist in washing; good City references given. Can be seen until engaged, at No. 312 Atlantic-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG WOman, a situation as cook, washer and ironer; is a good baker of bread and biscuit; has the best of reference from her last place. Can be seen at No. 229 East 23d-st., fourth floor, back room.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN AMERICAN girl as chambermaid and waiter, and has no objection to make herself generally useful. Call at No. 118 7th-av., 4th floor, between 18th and 19th sts.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER, in this City, by a Swedish lady, fully competent to take entire charge of a house. Please address, giving name and residence, W., this office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman as seamstress and ladies' maid. Best City reference will be given, and can be seen for two days at No. 23 East 14th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE STEADY girl, lately from England, a situation as chambermaid and seamstress; is a good dressmaker. Call at No. 600 Greenwich-st., front basement, for two days.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE young woman, to cook, wash, and iron, in a respectable private family. Good City reference. Call at No. 178 West 25th st., near 8th-av., for two days.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN DESIRES A SITUAtion as clerk in a law office; has had three years' experience. Address E. J. M., *Times* Office.

WANTED.—A SITUATION AS WAITER, BY A young man fully competent, with good City reference. Address C. F. at McMULLEN'S, Hatter, No. 96 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COLORED girl, to do general housework, or as chambermaid and nurse. Apply at No. 183 West 15th-st.

WANTED—A FAMILY OR GENTLEMEN'S washing, by a respectable woman; has the best of City reference. Call or address M. J. S., 206 Centre-st.

TRANSLATOR.—SCIENTIFIC AND LITERARY works, documents, &c., translated from English into Spanish and vice versa, and French into either, and Spanish proofs corrected; can refer to several publishers in this City. Inquire of A. R. PHIPPEN, Esq., No. 810 Broadway.

TO LAWYERS.—A MEMBER OF THE BAR of New-York, and graduate of Cambridge Law School, wishes a situation as assistant or managing clerk in a law-office. Address LEX, Box No. 4,090 Post-Office.

TO LAWYERS.—A GENTLEMAN ADMITTED to practice wishes to engage as clerk in a law office at a moderate salary. Good references, &c. Address Box 3,363 New-York Post Office.

COACHMAN, JUST DISENGAGED, would be happy to take charge of some gentleman's stable for the Winter; is a skillful groom and driver. Address J. D. R., *Times* office.

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WANTED—IN A COUNTRY CHURCH, IN THE vicinity of this City, a young man who is competent to take charge of the choir every Sabbath, going out Saturday night and returning Monday morning. Address H., at this office.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT woman, with the best references, as chambermaid. One who perfectly understands her duties. Apply at No. 3 Madison-av., from 9 to 1 o'clock, for two days.

WANTED—AN ENGLISH COOK AND LAUNdress. Apply at No. 46 Pierpont-street, Brooklyn Heights, L. I.

$11.000 CASH BY AGENTS HAVE cleared since July 2d, as the cash book shows. Ten more agents wanted; steady employment; glorious pay. Address (stamp inclosed) GENERAL AGENT, Burlington, Vt.

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TUTOR OR TEACHER—WANTED AN ENgagement in a family or school, in this City or vicinity, a few hours daily, by a graduate of an eminent European University; can teach all the departments of a finished English education, Ancient and Modern Languages, Belles Lettres and Mathematics; references to gentlemen in this City. Address J. A. S., No. 155 Crosby-st., or this office.

A YOUNG LADY, AT PRESENT ENGAGED in teaching, has some hours in the morning at her disposal, which she would wish to devote to the instruction of pupils at their residences, in the usual English branches, music and French. She would also receive pupils at her residence for the piano and guitar. Address S. M., this office.

WANTED.—A LADY WHO SPEAKS FRENCH, teaches Music, Latin, and the various branches of English, and at present residing in this City, desires a re-engagement as resident governess. Best references given and required. Address TEACHER, Box No. 642 Post Office.

WANTED—A TEACHER IN THE ENGLISH Department of the Commercial Institute, No. 111 3d-st. None need apply but those who in reality are teachers and fair in penmanship.

A LADY, RESIDING IN CONNECTICUT, wishes to take a class of five or six little boys, from six to eight, to instruct in French, and music, if desired. Terms, by applying at the office of the *Times*.

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New-York Daily Times, Friday, December 5, 1856

NEW-YORK CITY.

[illegible] Little Battle in the Seventeenth Ward.

An examination was commenced yesterday before Recorder Barnes at his private office, of the parties charged with being engaged in the row on the evening of the 27th of last month, when the Libbyites sought to raise a banner and the Woodites wouldn't let them, at the corner of Eighth-avenue and Broadway. The following is the affidavit upon which the arrest of parties charged to be implicated was made:

City and County of New-York, ss.:

George D. Lewis, of said City, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the proprietor of the public house known as the Columbia House, situated at the junction of Eighth-avenue and Broadway; that a public meeting was held at said house on Monday evening, the 27th of October, of the citizens of the Twenty-second Ward to ratify the name of JAMES B. [illegible] and other Democratic nominees, and to raise a banner at the place appointed for said meeting; a large number of citizens finally assembled, and when some of the friends of Mr. Linsz arrived with music and entered the bar-room, they were followed by a mob, among whom deponent recognized JOHN O'ROURKE, BRYAN O'ROURKE, who is an officer of the Twenty-second Ward; another officer named JOHN CONCKLEY and PATRICK MAGUIRE, also an officer, (who was the only one that had on his Police uniform,) JOHN CONNOR, MICHAEL CARRAN, and several others (about twenty-nine;) after entering the room JOHN O'ROURKE called out "Boys, let us have a FRENKAW-NY-NY-NY and A. D. RUSSELL drink" and at that moment a stone was thrown from the outside to the second story window, which deponent believes was a signal for the "Wood" men to leave, for they instantly left the bar-room and most of them ran over to the corner where the stones were piled and commenced a general bombardment on the house, breaking all the sashes, glass shutters, blinds and doors, decanters and tumblers. Deponent and his [illegible] were compelled to fly for their lives. Deponent requested Officers CONCKLEY and O'ROURKE to arrest some of the rioters. O'ROURKE replied that he had no star, and CONCKLEY left and went down the Eighth-avenue without attempting to quell the disturbance or arrest any of the parties. JOHN O'ROURKE, who is in the office of N. SHAW, went outside to the rioters and cried, "Go it, boys, giveth it them—give them hell—they deserve it." Deponent says that the following persons were actively engaged in the riot and aiding, assisting and encouraging the rioters to destroy deponents property: John O'Toole, John Quinn, Henry Roster, Patrick Fox, John Connor, Michael Cannon, Peter Masterson, John Masterson, Wm. Masterson, Patrick Crowe, James Fox, Patrick Corey, Wm. Corey, Robert Stay, Hugh O'Rourke, Wm. Conckley, Pat Maguire, Pat Kearney, Pat Keese, Michael Cowley, Pat Green, Michael Green, who deponent prays may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

GEORGE L. DAVIS.

Sworn before me this Nov. 1, 1856.

JAMES M. SMITH, Jr., Recorder.

All the parties named in the affidavit were present before the Recorder, Mr. CHARLES C. SPENCER, being employed as counsel.

Mr. DAVIS was cross-examined at length by Mr. SPENCER, but nothing was elicited of importance additional to his sworn statement. The Recorder held O'TOOLE to bail in the sum of $1,000, and permitted the rest to depart on their parol of honor (?) to attend before him on Saturday at 9 o'clock A. M., to which time a full examination in the case was postponed.

Accident on the New-Haven Railroad—Narrow Escape.

The Railroad train that left Bridgeport at 10 minutes past 10 o'clock yesterday morning, met with an accident when near Yorkville. A large stone which got placed by some means or other near one of the tracks, struck the wheels of one of the passenger cars, breaking the axletree and throwing the car upon its side. The engine (which, with the forward cars, had passed the stone in safety) was immediately stopped. The greatest consternation reigned, but, after a thorough examination, it was found that not any person was seriously injured, although quite a number in the overturned car were slightly bruised.

The passengers in the car directly forward of the overturned car were thrown from their seats, but not any of them were injured.

The disabled car was soon removed, and the train then proceeded on its way to the city.

The American Institute.

The managers of the American Institute held their ordinary monthly meeting last evening at their rooms in Broadway. A report was published from the Board of Managers, showing the results of the late Exhibition at the Crystal Palace and the Cattle Show at Union Square. Amount received and deposited, $27,610 50. Amount of bills paid up to this date, $10,463 78. The estimated expenses not yet liquidated are set down as $13,146 72, leaving a balance of $3,000. After the usual routine of business, the meeting adjourned. The premium committee will have their awards completed and ready for publication early next week.

Removal of U. S. District Attorney's Office.

The U. S. District Attorney removed his office yesterday from College-place to Whitlock's building, opposite the TIMES Office. We congratulate him on getting into a good neighborhood. The U. S. Marshal's and U. S. Commissioner's offices still remain at the old quarters. The room formerly occupied by the District Attorney is to be used by the Grand Jury for their sessions.

☞ Let the defeated cultivate the acquaintance of their wives and children. By turning to the big Bible they will find the names of their neglected little ones, and if they will study out the receipts signed by milliners, dress-makers, dry goods sales-men and others, they will have no difficulty in making out, in the midst of the whalebone, crinoline, furs and feathers, the wife they once so fondly cherished. It is a great thing to be up in politics—a blessed thing to be sound on national issues. But when the battle is over, it is delightful to go home to one's family and renew the associations that were powerful before the clubs were organized, and the cabins and ranches built. If the women and the babies had the appointment of Thanksgiving, to-morrow would be the day.

☞ The *Courier and Enquirer* is "willing to attribute our assertion that the election passed off with unusual quiet to a pardonable jealousy for the fair fame of the City." There was no "pardonable jealousy" about it. We simply stated a patent fact. There was not a Ward in the City that our reporters were not visiting in at frequent intervals, from day-light until near midnight, and their reports, when compared with those of the past years, show that the quiet was unusual. If we remember distinctly we had the same Mayor presiding over us last year as this, which single fact is reply enough to the generous insinuation that we were making "a bold but inefficient attempt to shield the Mayor from a just and widely felt indignation."

☞ When will the trouble be settled between the Board of Education and the Comptroller? The Board have made a requisition upon the Comptroller for $[illegible], Mr. FLAGG replies that the Board owe $125,000, advanced to it in 1855. He declines paying anything but the $125,000 balance. The Board claim that the $125,000 was a special appropriation, made to supply deficiencies, not an advance for their current account for the year. If the Comptroller is sustained, the Board is bankrupt, and the Schools crippled.

☞ WILLIAM WILSON, the Alderman elect from the First Ward, was arrested on Wednesday night on complaint of FELIX DUFFY, who alleges that he was beaten by WILSON and others at the polls of the First Ward on Tuesday, and that they (his assailants) intended to take his life.

The Alderman elect was brought before the Recorder, who held him to bail in $2,000 to answer at the General Sessions.

DEAD.—GEORGE KENNEY, a well-known sporting man, died on Sunday last, at his residence, in Twenty-sixth street, near Fourth-avenue, and was buried on Tuesday, in Greenwood. His age was 61 years. He was born in England, but resided in this country for many years. He stood high as a "sporting" man, and was the winner of several well-contested prize-fights.

☞ The Buck and Breck Third Ward Club recovered sufficiently from the stunning effects of the glorious victories of FREMONT all around them, to hold a little meeting last evening at headquarters. They got up quite a little enthusiasm before the evening was spent.

☞ R. M. is off on the banks of the Cuyahoga hunting up a location for producing intense cold by artificial means, as if cool were not scarce enough and fuse dear enough already.

☞ Judge CAMPBELL issued warrants, yesterday, for the arrest of several parties, charged with disturbing the peace on election day.

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LONG ISLAND.

Suffolk County.

Riverhead town gave for Fremont, 295; Fillmore, 117; Buchanan, 122. For King, 285; Brooks, 119; Parker, 124.

Easthampton gave for Fremont, 180; for Fillmore, 69; for Buchanan, 111. For King, 176; Brooks, 70; Parker, 119.

Southampton gives Fremont, 273; Fillmore, 442; Buchanan, 248; King, 274; Brooks, 448; Parker, 238.

Shelter Island gives Fremont 54; Fillmore, 11; Buchanan, 13.

Southold gives Fremont 501; Fillmore, 221; Buchanan, 264. For King 492; Brooks, 221; Parker, 267.

Brookhaven, in three districts (Patchogue, Port Jefferson and Moriches) gives Fremont 377; Fillmore, 448; Buchanan, 377.

Smithtown (incomplete) gives Fremont, 64; Fillmore, 104; Buchanan, 107. For King, 65; Brooks, 100; Parker, 100.

Huntington gives Fremont 455; Fillmore, 322; Buchanan, 510. For King, 455; Brooks, 290; Parker, 540.

ROSE's majority, K. N., to Assembly, (1st District,) is about 130. In the 2d District Thompson is elected.

A majority for Fremont of some 300 is pretty good for old Suffolk.

☞ We met a man yesterday who thought that the millenium had come. He had been grumbling at the Gas Company for two years back because it required a deposit before it would give him gas. The Company was using his money for speculating purposes—swindling him, and all that. Having no longer occasion to burn gas, he called at the office yesterday to square up, and found, to his surprise, tendered to him not only the whole of his original deposit, but interest on it up to the day. It should be remembered that the Gas Company does pay interest upon the required deposits, and that no deposits are required from consumers who live in their own houses.

☞ Rev. WM. A. MAYBIN, has removed from HUNTINGTON, L. I., to Williamsburg, L. I., having accepted the Rectorship of St. Paul's Church, Williamsburg.

Rev. ROBERT W. HARRIS, D. D., of White Plains, has accepted a unanimous call to the Rectorship of St. George's Church, Astoria.

Escape and Rearrest of a Convict from Kings County Jail.

WM. H. HAZZARD, convicted in the United States District Court of this city, in June last, of mayhem, committed upon Captain RAY, of the bark *Ocean*, and sentenced to four months' imprisonment in Kings County Jail, escaped from jail on Wednesday last, was rearrested yesterday in Jersey City. He was walking very quietly through a back street in Jersey City, when he was met by Captain RAY, who immediately had him rearrested, and consigned to the care of the Chief of Police of that city. He will be taken back to his old quarters to-day.

☞ STUARTS' Band gave a fine serenade last night to Mr. J. B. WARE, whose efficient services as Grand Marshal of the Rocky Mountaineers have done so much during the late campaign to keep the boys' spirits up and sustain its frequent "missionary expeditions."

STATEN ISLAND.

☞ We learn that Mr. AUSTIN FOUNTAIN, a well-known citizen of Staten Island, was drowned on Wednesday night in crossing the Kills from the Jersey shore to Fort Richmond in a small boat. He was in company at the time with Mr. O'HARE of the New-Brighton Livery Stable, when the boat filled from a leak in the side and upset. Mr. FOUNTAIN attempted to swim ashore, but was drowned before reaching it. Mr. O'HARE clung to the boat, and was rescued by giving the alarm to some men on the shore. Mr. FOUNTAIN leaves a large family.

Additional Particulars of the Election Riots in Baltimore—List of the Killed and Wounded.

From the American, Nov. 4.

We endeavored yesterday to gather additional particulars of the riots of yesterday, and have heard of the following additional aggravations on Tuesday, who were shot in the Eighth earliest riot:

Patrick Green, shot in the right leg below the knee, not seriously.

John Parkhill, residing in Aisquith-street, near Fayette, shot in the breast, thought to be seriously wounded.

Robert Parkhill, a brother of the above, received a ball in the left arm, not dangerous.

James Hooper, boy, living in Gay-street, shot in the leg, not seriously injured.

James Dryden, residing in Canal-street, shot in the back while retreating down Orleans-street, not serious.

David Huxford, shot in both arms, and badly wounded.

Charles Chenowith, living in Gay-street, shot in the leg; not much hurt.

James Mueden, shot in the leg above the knee; painfully wounded.

John Parker, shot in the head—killed.

Washington Tate, residing in Caroline-street, near Jay, received two balls in the breast, breaking the ribs and penetrating the lungs—supposed to be mortally wounded.

S. R. Whitelock, residing in Fayette-street, near Exeter-street, shot in the side and dangerously wounded.

A man named Fell, living in Greenmount-avenue, received a ball in the head. He is dangerously wounded.

Mr. Wyatt, living at No. 170 Lombard-street, was shot in the neck, the ball passing down into the shoulder. His wound is dangerous.

Police Officer James Bishop received a ball in the knee, which produced a painful wound.

Charles Colgate was shot in the leg, but the injury was trifling.

Barney Culley was shot in the arm and back, and is said to be dangerously injured.

Thomas Lamb, known as Lame Tommy, was shot in the leg; not seriously.

The following additional were wounded at the Second Ward riot:

James McCurdy, special police officer, received a ball in the instep, causing a dangerous but not serious wound.

Jacob Klumeyer, shot in the body by the premature discharge of his own pistol.

James Harvey, shot in the back, not seriously.

In the Fourth Ward, a young man named William Hinton, living in High-street near Fayette, was shot in the forehead with a musket ball; supposed to be mortally wounded.

The following is a list of the killed and wounded, as far as we have been able to ascertain:

KILLED.

Albert B. Clark,	Washington Daity,
John Parker,	James Woods.

WOUNDED.

Richard Pryor, fatally,	William McCafferty,
William Bright,	Jacob McCurdy,
Thomas Divins,	Charles Enser,
Edward Elliott,	James Klumeyer,
Officer Hand,	James Harvey,
John Anderson,	William Herbert,
Jas. William Hinton,	Philip Dagner,
Bridget McCadden,	Charles Smith,
German woman,	John Kinsey,
Hack Quinn,	Henry Shulter,
Mrs. Mount,	John Metier,
James Wilson,	John Ryan,
German, unknown,	—— Wills,
German, unknown,	William Williams'
James Wilson, boy,	Samuel Smith,
Martin Haley,	Hyde Mitchell,
Daniel White,	John Holbrook,
Man unknown,	Joseph Brown,
German, unknown,	Thomas Bartlett, fatally,
S. Jackson, dangerously,	James Norris, boy,
Boy, unknown, fatally,	Thomas Murray,
—— Hitzelberger, fatally,	Officer Stephens,
John Haupt,	Nicholas Gill,
Callender Patterson, fat'ly,	Sam'l Miskinnis, fatally,
Columbus Johnson,	Thomas Lamb,
Simon Haupt, fatally,	George Benjamin,
Samuel Benjamin, fatally,	Peter Havilan, fatally,
John C. Owings,	—— Stansbury,
Thos. McDonald, fatally,	—— Jones, fatally,
Owen McDonald,	William Chambers,
Wm. Sproule, boy, fatally,	James George,
John Mayor, fatally,	Daniel Root,
Basil Root,	Charles Bowers,
Patrick Green,	John Parkhill,
Robert Parkhill,	James Hooper, boy,
James Dryden,	David Huxford,
Charles Chenowith,	James Mondon,
Washington Tate, fatally,	S. R. Whitelock,
—— Fell, dangerously,	Thos. Burgess,
James Bishop,	C. Colgate,
Barney Culley.	—— Wyatt.

A colored man named HENRY WASHINGTON, residing on Gay-street, was in the Eighth Ward when the fight began in that neighborhood, and attempted to reach his home. He was shot in the head and died from some cause at the house, produced by slight.

BENJAMIN GRIFFIN, a young man who was arrested and taken to the Middle district watch-house and subsequently discharged, was shot through the hand while going up Saratoga-street to Gay. He was not seriously wounded.

The neighborhood of the corner of Aisquith and Orleans-streets bears the marks of the riot. Several balls passed through the windows of the house of Dr. BRADFORD, and a tree-box in front contains sixteen large and small balls.

There were many others slightly wounded, than those above named, whose names cannot be found out, and there is a number of those in the list who cannot possibly survive more than a few days.

RICHARD PRYOR, who was shot at the Sixth Ward polls by CHARLES HANNIGAN, is said to be in a dying condition this morning. The ball entered his abdomen.

JAMES WOODS, a boy about seven years of age, who received a rifle ball in his chest, died yesterday from the effects of his wound. He was wounded in the riot between the Seventh and Eighth Wards.

Battle Between Two Mexican War Steamers.

From the New-Orleans Picayune.

It will be remembered that we published, a few days ago, an account of the Mexican war steamer *Democrat* being run off from Vera Cruz by her crew; her subsequently appearing at the port of Coatzacoalcos and forcibly carrying off the Collector at that place, together with the customs specie in his hands; and the departure of the other Mexican war steamer *Guerrero*, from Vera Cruz, in search of the mutineers and their vessel.

A passenger on the schooner *Joven Maria*, which vessel arrived here on Wednesday from Tampico, *via* Campeachy, with specie, relates that when they arrived at the latter port the *Democrat* was there waiting the return of a boat that had been sent ashore with the Coatzacoalcos Collector. On the departure of the *Joven Maria*, from Campeachy, the steamer *Democrat* started to sea, apparently in pursuit of the schooner; but not far out the latter met the *Guerrero*, still in search of the *Democrat*. They encountered, and as the schooner sped on her way from the scene, her crew could distinctly perceive the two vessels engaged in deadly conflict—seeing the flashing of the guns and hearing their report.

The next arrival from Campeachy or Vera Cruz will doubtless bring us news of the issue of the fight between the mutineers and their former comrades.

The *Democrat*, while at Coatzacoalcos, fired into and sunk a Mexican war steamer, name unknown, formerly the American steamer *Ben Franklin*.

Fatal Shooting Case in Philadelphia.

On Wednesday evening ISAAC C. SHEERLOCK, a clerk in the employ of WALMER & CLODGERS, dry goods store, Market-street, shot WILLIAM CLODGERS, one of his employers, at the junction of Seventh and Chesnut streets. Three balls took effect, and the wounds were mortal. The cause is reported to be an improper connection between the employer and the wife of the clerk. The latter gave himself into custody.

MARRIED

AARON—LEVY.—In this City, on Wednesday, Nov. 5, by Rev. J. J. Lyons, Mr. A. J. AARON, form. city of Baltimore, to Miss HENRIETTA LEVY, of this City.

☞ Baltimore *Clipper* and *Sun* please copy.

PRABODY—BLOODGOOD.—In this City, on Thursday, Nov. 6, by Rev. Dr. Crocker, of St. John's Church, Providence, FRANCIS PRABODY, Jr., of Salem, Mass., to HELEN, daughter of Nathaniel Bloodgood.

DURREE—MCCALLUM.—In this City, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 5, by Rev. John Lillie, D. D., Mr. ALPHEUS D. DURREE to Miss CHRISTINA C. MCCALLUM, both of Tubby Hook, N. J.

☞ Orange County papers please copy.

RIGGS—GAYLORD.—In this City, on Wednesday, Nov. 5, at the Reformed Dutch Church, University-place, by Rev. Dr. Hutton, O. P. RIGGS, of this City, and Miss MARGARETTA J. GAYLORD, of Wincheville, Conn.

WILKINSON—STEWART.—In this City, on Thursday, Nov. 6, by Rev. Charles S. Hageman, of Poughkeepsie, Mr. CHARLES S. WILKINSON, of Columbus, Ohio, to Miss ELIZA J. STEWART, of the City of New-York.

☞ Ohio and Poughkeepsie papers please copy.

RUTHVEN—NEWCOMB.—On Wednesday, Nov. 5, by Rev. Frederick G. Clark, JAMES A. RUTHVEN to JENNY AMANDA, daughter of Hon. O. Newcomb.

COMPTON—DURBROW.—At Plainfield, N. J., on Thursday, Nov. 6, by Rev. James Brown, of Scotch Plains, HALSTED C. COMPTON to EMMA, daughter of Joseph Durbrow, Esq.

DIED.

DELANO.—In this City, on Wednesday, Nov. 5, suddenly, CHARLES MORTIMER DELANO, youngest son of Thomas Delano, in the 20th year of his age.

The friends of his father, also of his brothers James M. and Thomas E., and of his uncle Alfred A. Sebring, are respectfully requested to attend his funeral, from the residence of his father, No. [illegible] (Friday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, without further invitation. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

GAINES.—In this City, on Wednesday, Nov. 5, JULIA WHITNEY, youngest daughter of Mrs. General Gaines.

FURBEY.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Nov. 5, JOHN FURBEY, in the 86th year of his age.

The friends of the family, and those of his son Robert, and his son-in-law, Rev. Thomas Cook and A. W. O. Spooner, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, without further notice.

MINTURNE.—In Jersey City, on Thursday, Nov. 6, at 10 o'clock A. M., ANN MINTURNE, wife of Samuel Mitchell and daughter of the late John and Hannah Lear.

The relatives and friends of the family, and those of her brothers, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, at the residence of Thomas Lear, at No. 216 South 5th-st., at 2 o'clock P. M., on Friday, without further invitation.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

FRIDAY, P. M., Nov. 7, 1856.

Sales at the Stock Exchange, Nov. 6.

$50,000 Tx. 5s,'66	91½	100	Erie Railroad	s2	60½
16,000 do	91½	100	do	b60	61½
25,000 Virginia 6s	95	200	do	b60	61½
1,000 do	91½	200	do	b30	61
10,000 Mis. St. 6s, sinking	97½	300	do	s60	61½
6,000 do	96½	200	do		61½
1,000 City 6s, '59	97½	600	do	s10	61½
11 Bank of Commerce	104	300	do	s10	61½
99 Bk. of N. America	108	200	do		61½
10 Corn Exchange Bk.	94	200	do	s10	61½
54 Park Bank	98½	200	do	s10	61½
150 Canton Co.	21½	700	do	s30	61
200 D. & H. C'l Co.	s30..131	300	do	s30	61
10 do	b10..131½	400	do	b30	61½
300 Penn. Coal Co.	s6	200	do	b30	61½
300 do	b30	200	do	b30	61½
10 do	28	100	do	b30	61½
300 Cumb. Coal Co.	17½	500	do	b30	61½
400 do	17½	300	do	b60	61½
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100 do	b30 18	300	do	b60	61
400 Clev. & Toledo Rd.	70½	500	do	b30	60½
300 do	s30 70	15	Clev., Col. & Cin. R.		100
200 do	b60 71	2850	Reading R. R.		77½
550 do	70	200	do	b60	76
100 do	b60 70½	300	do	b60	76
200 do	69½	200	do	s10	77½
300 do	s30 69½	500	do	s30	77½
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800 do	s30 70	700	do	b30	76½
400 Ill. Cen. Rd.	b30 116	600	do	s30	77½
100 do	115½	700	do		77½
100 do	b60 116½	200	do	b30	76½
100 N. Y. Cen. R'd. Sat.	84½	400	do	b30	76½
800 do	85	200	do	s30	77½
200 do	b15 85	200	do	s30	77½
1000 do	b30 85	100	do	s10	77½
350 do	s30 85	200	do	s10	77½
300 do	85½	500	do	s30	77½
400 do	b30 86½	100	do	s30	77½
100 do	b30 85	200	do	s3	77½
700 do	b30 85½	635	Mic. S. & N. Ia. R'd		86
100 do	b3 85½	200	do	s30	87
140 do	s3 85½	100	do	s30	87
200 do	85½	200	do	s30	86½
100 do	s10 85½	500	do	b30	87½
300 do	b10 85½	200	do		87
100 do	b10 85	200	do	b3	87
100 do	b30 86½	100	do	s10	87
100 do	s10 85	50	do	s10	87½
100 do	85½	100	do	b60	87½
500 Mich. Cen. RR.	s30 93½	200	do		86½
200 do	b30 94	50	do	b15	87
200 do	s30 94	50	do	b10	86½
7 do	94	50	do	c	86½
755 do	94½	635	Cleve. & Pitts. R.	b60	56½
200 do	b30 94½	500	do	b60	56½
400 do	94½	1809	do		55½
10 Gal. & Chic. R.	109½	20	Harlem R. Prefer'd		49
20 do	109½	15	Sixth-avenue R.		88
200 do	110				

BETWEEN BOARDS.

After the adjournment of the Board, the following sales of stocks and bonds were made at auction by A. H. NICOLAY:

$10,000 Mil. & Hor. R.R. Co. 8 ₩ cent. m. b's In. ad.	75
$8,990 Sacramento City 10 ₩ cent. bonds, in. ad.	64
$7,000 L. Erie, Wabash & St. Louis R. R., int. ad.	62½
$1,000 Lackawanna E.R. 7 ₩ cent. bond, int. ad	63½
20 shares Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express	36½
9 shares Sixth-avenue R. R.	88
20 shares Union India Rubber Co.	70
125 shares St. Nicholas Fire Ins. Co.	70
30 shares Greenwich Fire Ins. Co.	138
10 shares Excelsior Fire Ins. Co.	112½
3 shares Commonwealth Fire Ins. Co.	97½
4 shares Market Bank	107½
20 shares Artisans' Bank	91½
5 shares Artisans' Bank	91½
75 shares Tradesmen's Bank	129½
100 shares Grocers' Bank	104
10 shares Park Bank	98

EXECUTORS' SALE.

20 shares Corn Ex. Fire Ins. Co.	100
10 shares Merchants' Fire Ins. Co.	120½
25 shares Broadway Fire Ins. Co.	121
10 shares Irving Bank	109½

SECOND BOARD.

$2,000 Ill. Cent. R. bs.	89½	100	Erie Railroad	s2	60½
4,000 do	89½	300	do		60½
50 Canton Co.	21½	200	do	s10	60½
100 Cumb. Coal Co.	17½	150	do	b3	60½
100 do	b30 18	750	do	b30	61
100 N. Y. Cen. R. R.	b5 85	200	do	b60	61½
100 do	b60 85½	200	do		60½
200 do	84½	500	do		60½
100 do	84½	100	Reading R. R.		77½
150 do	b3 84½	400	do	s60	77½
200 do	b10 84½	100	do		77½
25 Ill. Cent. R. R.	115½	400	do		77½
500 Clev. & Tol. R.	b30 70	500	do		77½
300 do	s60 69½	50	Mich. Cent. R. R.		94½
650 do	b3 69½	100	Mich. S. & N. Ia. R.		86½
100 Chi. & Rk. Is. R.	s30 92½	100	do	b30	86½
251 La Crosse & Mil. R.	80				

THURSDAY, Nov. 6—P. M.

This has been the most remarkable day of the season on the Stock Exchange for the magnitude of the transactions, and has had few parallels of late in speculative excitement. The sales registered on the Board list, as printed, amount to 50,500 shares, to which 6,000 or 8,000 shares might be added in the way of Street sales between and after the sessions of the Brokers. The *Bulls* had the market pretty much their own way, realizing largely an amount of 2 ₩ cent. on the prices of Wednesday, *and full five per cent.* on the lowest sales of Monday. The orders to buy, and the disposition among the members of the Board to operate, were well distributed, and the whole Railroad share list shows an unaccustomed degree of healthy activity. The sales of Reading reach 12,500 shares. The old President, Mr. JOHN TUCKER, has retired from his post to take charge of another Coal interest, we believe; and Mr. R. D. CULLEN, the late Vice-President, is elected his successor. Mr. C. is an able man for the place, in several essentials, and having the confidence of the Stockholders, both in Europe and at home, he will, no doubt, soon make himself as useful to the Coal trade as he is already acceptable to the Company. The retirement of Mr. TUCKER, however, is much regretted in Philadelphia. The following brief summary of prices will show the course of the general market to-day. The closing, though less strong in the rates paid than on the top wave of the excitement in the forenoon, was quite firm in tone, and the disposition to operate for a rise continued eager through the afternoon:

	Monday.	Wednesday.	To-day.	Closing Sales.
New-York and Erie	56¼	59¾	61¾	60¾
Cleveland and Toledo	68	68¾	70	69¾
Southern Michigan	80½	85	87	86½
Chicago and Rock Island	87½	91	93	92½
Philadelphia and Reading	72¼	75	77¼	77¼
New-York Central	81	83¼	85¼	84¾
Illinois Central Bonds	87¼	89¾	89¾	89¾
Michigan Central	91	93½	94½	94½

The foreign news was very favorably construed in the Street, and, besides helping the Stock Exchange, had its influence partially on the Money Market. The sales, in a single day, at Liverpool, of 130,000 bales of Cotton denote a strong confidence at home in the future of the English trade; and, coupled with the rise in the Funds, it is pretty conclusive evidence that nothing like serious financial embarrassment is thought of among the great banking and manufacturing people in England, with whom our commercial intercourse is most active. The effect here is hardly perceptible in a single day, particularly as the mails of the *Canada* are yet behind. Money was, if anything, something easier, but nothing very decided. The comparative tightness keeps demand for sterling down, and scarcely anything has been done yet for Saturday. The best bills are offered 109@109¾, and the prominent buyers look forward to a further decline next week—the Cotton movement at the South being heavy. The engagements of Gold for the *Atlantic* are not yet made, but will be but moderate. The Sub-Treasury disbursed to-day $342,085, against $93,895 received, reducing the balance to $18,025,545.

CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO ROAD—OCTOBER.

	October, 1856.	October, 1855.
Passenger traffic	$89,902	$81,558
Freight traffic	30,058	15,732
Total	$119,960	$97,290

The increase is 25 per cent., and would have been 37 or 40 per cent. over last year, but for the break of connection with the New-York and Erie, by the strike of the engineers on the latter, early in the month. The St. Louis connection *via* the the Wabash Valley, will be through in a few days, adding largely to the November and December traffic.

We understand that Mr. HORACE WHITE, banker, of Syracuse, is paying off the first-mortgage Bonds of the Syracuse and Binghamton Road, under the recent foreclosure.

A telegraphic dispatch, received to-day from Buffalo, reports the failure of a large fancy Dry Goods concern in that city. Liabilities, $250,000, with large assets, though much spread out.

The earnings of the La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad Co. for October were.....$65,678 75
Watertown Division.....$15,000 00
Together.....$80,678 75

Extract of a Letter to the President of the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad.

From the New-York Tribune.

We extract the following from a letter from Mr. BRODHEAD, the Engineer of the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad, to the President, giving a highly encouraging statement of the condition and prospects of that road. It is well worthy the attention of those interested.

SUPERINTENDENT'S AND ENGINEERS' OFFICE, MILWAUKEE, Thursday, Oct. 23, 1856.

John Catlin, Esq., President M. & M. R. R. Co.:

DEAR SIR: I have just returned from a trip over our road to the Mississippi River at Prairie du Chien, and found the track on the 94th within 20 miles of that place. From the end of the track the grading was all complete, ready for the superstructure (with a slight exception, which would not cause any detention,) to the last crossing of the Wisconsin River, a distance of fourteen miles. The track will be completed to Boscobel, which is six miles from where it is now laid, so as to be ready to run the train there on or before the 10th of November.

The timber is all upon the spot for the last bridges over the Wisconsin River, which will be completed so as not to cause any detention to the laying of the superstructure. From the last bridge to Prairie du Chien the grading, bridging and masonry is so far advanced, and so large a force is now being placed upon that portion of the road, that I think there will be no detention here.

At Prairie du Chien, the large freight depôt, which is 50 by 400 feet, and is to be two stories in height, is so far advanced, (which is also the case with the Stone Roundhouse,) that both can be completed as soon as the track reaches Prairie Du Chien.

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